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## WILSON'S ADDRESS SHOCK TO SENATE

Members of All Parties View Entangling Alliance With Suspicion and Absence of "Leak" Made Message Actually Astonishing—Diplomats Study Meaning.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.  
Washington, Jan. 23.—With the president's astounding statement of yesterday now known all over the world, the administration today is sitting tight to learn what its real effect is going to be. It is recognized that the very secrecy with which the intention of the president was guarded operated to make the startling speech before the senate yesterday a tremendous shock. The administration is concerned not with the effect of this shock, but with the attitude of the world, particularly the European belligerents, after recovering from the stunned surprise caused by the statement.

Some of the force of the president's statement may be lost by refusal of the senate to endorse his views laid before them yesterday. It is known that many Democratic senators are opposed to the idea of a league of nations to enforce world peace. It was this suggestion in the Hitchcock resolution, asking endorsement of the president's peace note of December 18, which aroused bitter opposition, and blocked adoption of the resolution.

It is known that the senate leaders plan no immediate action on the president's statement of the attitude of the administration beyond the possibility of referring the message to the foreign relations committee for consideration. There are only six weeks of the life of the present congress left, and unless the president brings extraordinary pressure to bear the speech doubtless will remain in committee.

It is an open secret that anything tinged with the suggestion of involving the country in an entangling alliance is regarded with suspicion by men of all parties in the senate. An element of Democrats in the senate who cannot be ignored is known to be fully opposed to the plan of an international league of nations to enforce peace.

Speculation among diplomats here is revolving chiefly about how far the president is determined to go with his plan, and the exact meaning of some of his address. Diplomatic representatives of the Entente nations are chiefly concerned with the meaning of the statement by President Wilson that peace must be won by "peace without victory."

The administration is expecting and prepared to meet criticism from many quarters on the startling stand outlined by President Wilson yesterday. This criticism has begun to be heard already.

## FIELD OF SPORTS.

Notes of Baseball, Pugilism and Other Lines of Athletics.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.  
Ravine, Wis., Jan. 23.—George (Knockout) Brown gave "Wildman" Bob Noha a ten-round beating here last night. At the end of the fight the Greek was far ahead on points, was still strong and falling away as the combat had just started.

Boston, Jan. 23.—With Jack Barry included, the Boston Red Sox have nine men under contract at present, according to President Frazee.

Philadelphia, Jan. 23.—Benny Leonard took some of the championship aspirations out of Eddie Wallace of Brooklyn, in their six-round bout here last night. The bell saved Wallace in the last round.

New Haven, Ct., Jan. 23.—Boxing and wrestling will be indulged in by eight candidates for Yale's 1917 football team. Coach Tad Jones has urged the players to take up both sports.

## THE JOINERS.

News of Interest to Members of Fraternal Societies.

The following lodges will hold business this evening:  
St. Mary's Branch, No. 133, C. M. B. A. in St. Mary's School Hall, Vanderlyn Council, No. 41, Daughters of America, in Mechanics' Hall, Henry street.

Kingston Lodge, No. 10, F. & A. M. in Masonic Hall, Wall street.  
C. S. Clay Lodge, No. 528, I. O. O. F. in Prithian Hall, corner of Wall and John streets.

Brown's Tabernacle, No. 9, U. G. W. of F. G. E. and W. H., at 103 Cornhill street.  
Journeymen Barbers' International Union, Local No. 534, at 635 Broadway.

Kingston Lodge, No. 970, Loyal Order of Moose, at 635 Broadway.

Ourman Sues Day Line.

Suit was started in the supreme court of Westchester county at White Plains Saturday by Paul J. Corwin for \$25,000 damages against the Hudson River Day Line for injuries received when a rowboat he was in was crushed by one of the company's steamers last August.

Resume Ice Harvest.

The Knickerbocker Ice Company will resume work on the ice harvest at the Esopus icehouse Wednesday morning and will start operations at the Esopus icehouse Friday morning. The ice runs from 11 to 11:45 a.m.

## ALTAMARI CASE NOW ON TRIAL

County court recommenced at the court house on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Judge James Jenkins presiding when the criminal cases were taken up for trial. The panel of 100 extra jurors were present and much time was taken when over thirty stepped forward and presented their excuses. Ten of the extra panel were dead, out of the county or ill while twenty-one were excused on account of being over the age limit of 70 years, exempt firemen or other cause.

Those excused for the term were John Alsdorf of Gardiner, Frank Baxter of Plattkill; William Beatty, Peter Boice, Kingston; William Brown, Marlborough; DeWitt C. DePuy, New Paltz; Lorenzo Ditoro, Marlborough; Henry Hilliker, Shandaken; Joseph Hutton, Kingston; Edward Kaley, Marlborough; John P. Kousa, Ulster; Homer Sheldon, Olive; J. H. Smith, Marlborough; Jeremiah Sparling, Ulster; H. C. Todd, Hartsenburgh; Harry Tronson, Kingston; Charles VanDuzer, Plattkill; Martin VanWagenen, Rosendale; William Wiedemann, Kingston; and George A. Winter, Kingston. Several of the other jurors were later excused until Thursday morning when the case of Joe Weber will probably be taken up provided the present case is completed by that time. After a jury has been selected for the trial of Sam Borelli all the jurors not engaged on the case were excused until Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Paul Gruner who was indicted by the grand jury for violating the liquor law by selling on Sunday and who had entered a plea of not guilty, through District Attorney Traver, changed his plea to guilty and a fine of \$50 was imposed by the court. Gruner was accused of violating the law on Sunday, July 30, in the town of Saugerties.

The case of Sam Borelli was next taken up and the remainder of the afternoon was taken in selecting a jury. Thirty-seven jurors were examined before the jury box was finally filled.

Borelli was accused of assaulting Louis Altamari on August 4 at Kingston Point while Altamari was walking along North street from work. It is claimed that Borelli attacked Altamari with a gun. Judge William D. Brimmer, Jr., appears for the defendant in the action.

The jury was completed shortly after five o'clock with the following men in the box: Chauncey DeVall, Woodstock; Jason Baker, Kerhonkson; J. M. Kelly, Superintendent of Highways of Hardenbergh; DeForest Bishop, Marlborough; Thomas J. Callahan, Gardiner; Silas Freer, Tilton; Ellsworth Davis, Marlborough; Fred Burger, Ulster; William L. Mackey, Marlborough; George K. McMurtry, New Paltz; Charles A. Dunn, Marlborough; and George Boice, Ulster. Juror Kelly was a member of the jury which two years ago found Louis Marquardt guilty of murdering Mrs. Amelia Paulus.

Marquardt was later put to death in the electric chair at Sing Sing. The trial of Borelli on the charge of assault in the first degree will probably not be finished until late today and may not be finished at that time. There are several witnesses to be examined and a number are Italians who do not speak well and may require an interpreter which will necessarily slow up the trial.

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W. C. T. U. Hires Counsel.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.  
Columbus, O., Jan. 23.—Weidon H. Wells, confessed slayer of Mona Simon, will be defended by an attorney hired by the Women's Christian Temperance Union, it was announced today. It was explained that members did all they could for Miss Simon during her life and now they feel they ought to do something for Wells, who also was a victim of drink. Former Attorney General Timothy S. Hogan is the counsel selected.

Athletic Meet at Y. M. C. A.

Friday afternoon the members of Student A Class will hold the first of a series of three athletic meetings in the Y. M. C. A. gym. The events Friday are the running high jump, the standing broad jump, the three potato race and a two lap run.

At Kingston City Hospital.

Mr. Richard Burke of No. 10 Cedar street, was conveyed to the Kingston City Hospital in the ambulance on Monday.



MARINES PUTTING FLAG-DRAPE CASKET ON GUN-CARRIAGE AT CAPITOL. NATION DOES HONOR TO DEWEY, LAID AT REST IN ARLINGTON.

Not since the body of the martyred McKinley was born through the streets of the national capital has such honor been extended as was extended George Dewey, late Admiral of the United States Navy. While the nation paused in its daily tasks, all of Washington officialdom and the diplomatic corps paid homage to the hero of Manila Bay. The machinery of government halted as the funeral procession passed along Pennsylvania avenue. From the president down to the humblest office holder—all honored the great Dewey.

## RESENT ATTACK ON DANCES AND FILM

Two Correspondents of The Freeman  
Take Evangelist Peacock to Task for Mental Bias Which Prompted Criticism of Both.

Among a number of comments upon utterances of an itinerant evangelist now holding forth in the city, two have found their way to the editor's desk, and are as follows:

Jan. 22, 1917.  
To the Editor of The Freeman.  
Dear Sir:—I, as a student of Kingston-High School, as a boy, and would greatly appreciate a small space in your paper in defense of a statement made against my Alma Mater.

Last night's Freeman contained an article which included a statement made by Evangelist Peacock concerning our High School.

The Board of Education had refused a request to allow Evangelist Peacock to speak to the students in school. What their reason was, was published in the paper some time ago. This was none of my affair.

The Board of Education makes such decisions as are best for the welfare of its students. But what did you me out my school and cut every student and member of the faculty were these words. "I can't talk to the young folks as it might take their minds from their studies, but they can be allowed to put on a dirty old dance for the school."

What reason had Evangelist Peacock, a preacher of the gospel and of the truth, to yell out to the public such a statement? Had he ever visited one of our dances? Had he ever been present at any of our school socials? The pleasant informal dances we have given in our "gym," lasting not later than eleven o'clock, have often been commented upon by the general public. Our parents have been invited to these socials and we have always had several members of the faculty to chaperone and spend the evenings with us.

Our High School and my High School has always stood for what is just, true and uplifting in the school work and wherever the school has been represented. How a man who claims to be "a preacher and a minister of the gospel" can fling out to the public such an accusation without reason or cause is beyond my power of conception.

I am sure that I am not only expressing my own sentiments but also the feelings of every student who claims Kingston High School as his school.

A STUDENT OF K. H. S.

Kingston, Jan. 23, 1917.  
Editor, The Freeman:  
If by his keeping about "naked women" Evangelist Peacock means the recent production of "A Daughter of the Gods," at Kingston Opera House, he is either denouncing something he has not seen and, therefore, is not qualified to criticize, or he has an imagination that needs disinfecting. I note that the Federation of Women's Clubs thinks, as I do, that the picture was not immoral. "Honi soit qui mal y pense."

DISGUSTED READER.

Epworth League Election.

Clarence Schoonmaker, who has gone to Rochester, N. Y., to become assistant secretary of the Y. M. C. A., has resigned the presidency of St. James' M. E. Church Epworth League and Harry Connelly was elected president of the league Monday night to fill the vacancy. Arrangements are being made for an aggressive campaign to increase the membership of the league. Following the business session Monday night, refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed.

Races Off in Poughkeepsie.

No Grand Circuit harness meeting will be held at Poughkeepsie this year. It was announced Sunday by H. N. Bain, secretary of the Hudson River Driving Park Association, that Poughkeepsie would not claim dates at the meeting of the Grand Circuit stewards at Atlanta, Ga.

## LEBOWITZ WILL MAY BE CONTESTED

A hearing was had before Surrogate Gill in the surrogate's court on Monday in the matter of proving the will of Max Lebowitz of this city. Testimony was taken in regard to the execution of the will and the matter of probate was held open. Objections to its probate may be filed. By the will the testator gives his estate to this widow, Sarah Lebowitz, and appoints her executrix. The will was executed June 6, 1914, and witnessed by J. F. Parnassky and George Kramel. The value of the real estate is \$2,000 and the personal property amounts to \$500. Henry Klein appeared for the executrix; Newton H. Fessenden appeared for other interested parties.

ABOUT THE FOLKS.

Mrs. Jennie Sahler is spending a few days in town with friends.

Carl Heybrück of No. 17 Tompkins street, who has been confined to his home the past week with a sprained ankle, is again able to be out.

Mrs. John C. Elmendorf of No. 78 Pearl street is confined to her home by a severe attack of pleurisy. She is being attended by Dr. Fred Snyder.

Samuel Craig of West New York, N. J., formerly of this city, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia and grip, is able to be up and around again.

Miss Rose Keener, clerk in James Miller's confectionery store, has been confined to her home on Livingston street over two weeks, by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rifenburg of No. 62 East Chester street, are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a daughter at their home on Sunday.

Mrs. Fred M. Pruden and Mrs. Harry M. Pruden, who spent the week end and Sunday in Troy and Albany, returned to their home on West O'Reilly street.

Albert Kitz, a graduate of Spencer's Business School, has been placed, through the free employment department, in a permanent position as stenographer and clerk with James J. Welch superintendent, Delaware & Northern Railroad Co., Margaretville, N. Y.

Anniversary at Holy Cross.

Thursday, January 25, St. Paul's Day, is the 25th anniversary of the first service held in Holy Cross Church. The services for the day will consist of a mass at 7:30 a. m. and a special Thanksgiving service at 7:30 p. m. The Rev. Father Huntington, who preached the first sermon in Holy Cross, is at present in Florida, but one of the other fathers from Holy Cross monastery at West Park, of whom the Rev. Father Huntington is the superior, will preach the sermon at the evening service. The rector and vestry of Holy Cross Church extend a hearty invitation to everybody to be present, particularly the congregations of St. John's Church and the Church of the Holy Spirit.

Wilbur Feds' Dance.

The second annual dance of the Wilbur Feds Baseball Team will be held at Griffith's Hall on Saturday evening, February 3. Music will be furnished by Stephen Miller's orchestra of three pieces. The first dance of this well known athletic organization was a distinct success, socially and financially, and no efforts will be spared to make this second entertainment measure up to the first in every appointment.

To Box in Poughkeepsie.

Ralph Earl of Kingston is scheduled for a six round bout with Poughkeepsie's favorite at the latter place on January 31. Mr. Earl is a popular and clever boxer of this city and no doubt many fight fans of this city will travel to the Bridge City to see the go.

## STOCK MARKET OPENS STRONG

By Telegraph to The Freeman.  
New York, Jan. 23.—The stock market opened strong today. Bethlehem Steel which closed at 42 1/2 opened at 45, up 19 points. New York Central opened at 101 1/2, up 1/2. Atlantic Gulf was also up 1/2, opening at 120 1/2. American Smelters opened at 101 1/2, up 1/2. International Mercantile Marine Preferred was quoted at 90 1/2 at the opening, a gain of 1/2 over last night's closing. The common stock of the same issue opened at 34, up 1/2. Mexican Petroleum was up 1/2, opening at 102 1/2. Pittsburgh Coal opened at 49, up to 1/2. International Paper gained 1 1/2, opening at 47 1/2. Reading opened at 101, up 1/2. Westinghouse also gained 1/2, opening at 62 1/2. Kennicott Copper opened at 45 1/2, up 1/2. Industrial-Alcohol was up 1/2, opening at 126 1/2. United States Steel opened at 113 1/2, up 1/2. Missouri Pacific gained 1/2, opening at 33 1/2.

PLATTEKILL.

Plattekill, Jan. 22.—The Epworth League of the Plattekill M. E. Church will hold a monthly social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Lowery, Thursday evening, February 26. Entertainments are being planned.

Miss Luther Terwilliger entertained the ladies of the Birthday Club Friday afternoon, Jan. 19.

The Sunday school social held Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coy, was a success.

Would Affect Freight Rates.

States Island, Jamaica and Flushing as well as the Hudson Valley from the Bronx to Albany, will be eliminated from the New York zone and discriminated against if New Jersey's application for lower freight rates is granted, according to William S. Kallman, assistant traffic manager of the New York Central lines east of Buffalo.

Troy Expansion Movement.

Rev. S. Smith of the American City Bureau well-known in Kingston for his part in the Chamber of Commerce reorganization, is now in Troy where a five weeks' campaign is to be begun by the Board of Trade. Later he will conduct a similar movement in Port Huron, Mich., afterwards coming east to start operations in Poughkeepsie.

Bracelet Lost and Found.

While coming from services in the Congregation Agudas Achaim, where Chief Lobo Golo spoke Sunday, Miss Bella Levy of No. 2 St. Mary's street, lost a valuable gold bracelet. Chief Lobo Golo later found the missing article and returned it to the owner, who with friends had searched for hours for the trinket.

At The Hospital.

Saturday afternoon Mrs. John Bance was conveyed in the ambulance from the Kingston City Hospital to 36 St. James street.

Mrs. Moses Thayer of No. 50 Hoffman street, was conveyed to the Kingston City Hospital on Sunday in the ambulance.

Called to Baltimore.

The Rev. Robert Seneca Smith, for the past six years the pastor of the First Congregational Church in Poughkeepsie, has been extended a call to become the pastor of the Associated Congregational Church of Baltimore.

Higher Education at Vassar.

Vassar College has announced an increase in its charges of \$50 per year applicable to all students whether resident or non-resident. The board is due to increase cost of maintenance.

Fluke Ached Crank.

Hiram Sutton picked up an automobile crank in the street Monday night and is holding the same for the owner to claim.

## LONDON COMMENT ON WILSON SPEECH

By Telegraph to The Freeman.  
London, Jan. 23.—Early editions of the London papers today adopted a cautious tone in commenting upon President Wilson's peace league speech. It was generally agreed that the document called for the deepest analysis before its full meaning could be determined.

In some of the editorials there is a note of praise, but in others there is a disposition to believe that the American president spoke too soon. There is unanimous approval of the motive which inspired Mr. Wilson in his historic utterance.

That President Wilson has taken the world lead in the movement to end the war and prevent all future wars is established beyond all question.

The Daily Mail, the most radical of the Northcliffe papers, says that the Wilson address "is largely an abstract pontifical statement of future international morality."

There is a note of resentment all the way through the Daily Mail's comment.

On the other hand the Times sees the possibility for success in the American president's ambitious scheme. The Times comments with caution, saying:

"Its language has evidently been weighed with so much nicety and care that premature comment might overlook or misinterpret the precise shade of meaning which particular passages are intended to bear."

Although the president's address is in the hands of the British, Russian and French governments the press comment is the only indication so far as to how the peace league plan will be received by the chancelleries of those countries.

To Great Britain there is a somewhat jarring note in the reference to the freedom of the seas, although writers point out it is not yet certain what Mr. Wilson precisely means when he said that every great people should be assured of direct outlet to the sea, if not by cession of territory, then by neutralization of right of way.

Again, the view is taken here that there is a certain vagueness about a world wide Monroe Doctrine although it is generally accepted as meaning that no country shall be allowed to encroach upon the territory of another.

The suggestion of the limitation of armaments has already been proposed and is generally considered as one that meets with the approval of most of the warring powers, if not all.

Whether or not President Wilson believes that neither group of allies can achieve a decisive victory is not known, but it is pointed out that there is a certain significance in his dictum that it must be peace without victory so that no future resentment shall remain.

Declared to be of equal significance is that section saying that the future must accept the principle that governments receive all their just powers from the consent of the governed. That would establish the principle of democracy in countries where it does not now exist, it is asserted.

"For some time there have been warnings in the United States that that country might have to go to war before many more years have elapsed. This has given rise to a certain trend of thought here towards the belief that President Wilson is aiming to break up any hostile combination of foreign countries that have designs upon the peace of the United States."

WALLKILL.

Wallkill, Jan. 23.—The annual meeting of the Wallkill National Bank was held recently and resulted in the election of the following directors: C. N. Merwin, Francis Garrison, B. S. Galloway, Nelson U. Evans, Dr. J. W. Bowman, Simon DuBois, John Lyons, F. J. Wilkin and J. Addison Crowder. The following officers were chosen: President, B. S. Galloway; first vice president, Francis Garrison; second vice president, C. N. Merwin; cashier, Frederick M. Boyd. The bank is enjoying a year of unprecedented prosperity.

The Wallkill Valley Choral Society will hold its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles D. Cooper, on Orchard street, Wednesday evening, Dr. Jackson will be present. The first rehearsal of the "Messiah," which is the oratorio to be given by the society at the spring concert, will be held at this time. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone interested in singing to join this society.

GARDINER.

Gardiner, Jan. 23.—Miss Ida Sears entertained at cards Thursday evening. A luncheon was served at 1:30 o'clock. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Luther Dunsterville, Mr. and Mrs. William Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Frank DuBois, Mr. and Mrs. William Edwards, Miss Edna Huggan, Mrs. Flora Schoonmaker of New Paltz, Mr. and Mrs. Hector Seaton and Mrs. DuBois's mother, Joseph Alsdorf, mail carrier, is ill with grip.

Principal P. R. Borgardus and Mrs. Gustavus of the Gardiner public school were in New Paltz Friday and saw some of the work prescribed by the New York state syllabus in regard to physical training in the schools, carried out by physical director, Miss Swen, and military directors, Prof. J. Green, Dr. Penner also discussed English and Miss Clark discussed drawing.

## STATE ENGINEERS CANCEL CONTRACT

The State Highway Department has cancelled the contract for constructing the highway through Saugerties, held by Wagner & Braun, and according to information received by Supervisor John D. Frasher, who has been pushing the matter, will advertise for new bids and have the work hurried to its completion by the firm receiving the contract. The highway department advised Supervisor Frasher that they wanted the Saugerties road finished the earliest possible. The job cannot be done too soon for Saugertiesmen, who are weary of the long delay already experienced.

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

William N. Miller, postmaster of Medway, Greene county, died at his home in that village Saturday, aged 60 years. A widow and three children survived.

Daniel Dipple, a young man in the 31st year of his age who has been making his home at Palenville, for two years, endeavoring to recruit his health, died Friday evening, January 19, and the body was shipped to Newark, N. J., his former home, where interment will be made in Woodlawn cemetery.

Godfrey Wolven of Clintondale, formerly a member of Co. E, 44th Regiment, (Ellsworths) died on Tuesday, aged 74 years. He was a member of Ellington Post, No. 1, and died at his home in Clintondale. This is the seventh death in Ellington Post since April 1. Charles Bleeker is now the sole survivor of some 12 or 13 men from New Paltz and vicinity who went to the war in Co. E, 44th of which W. M. Walsh, then the principal of New Paltz Academy, went out as captain.

Emory York, one of the best known and highly esteemed residents and business men of High Woods, died at his home Friday evening, January 19, after an illness of a few weeks, pleurisy being the cause of his death. Mr. York, who was in the 67th year of his age, was a member of the firm of C. C. & W. York. He had a large number of friends, and was a man of strict integrity and sterling character. For many years he held membership in the High Woods Church and was devoted to its interests, being strong in his Christian faith and loyal to his regard for the church's welfare. A wife and one daughter, Mrs. Jason Longendyke survive him, and with them in their sorrow, will mourn a host of friends and acquaintances. Mr. York's demise will be sincerely regretted. The funeral service was held at the family residence this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Rev. W. H. Seiple of the High Woods Church, officiating. Interment in Mount Marion cemetery.

Miss Dorothy J. Sagendorph, who has been assistant teacher of chemistry and biology in the Kingston High School since last October, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Sagendorph, No. 21 Adriance avenue, Poughkeepsie, at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon after a two weeks illness. Death was due to spinal meningitis. Miss Sagendorph became ill soon after the holiday vacation and was compelled to return to Poughkeepsie, where meningitis developed. Miss Sagendorph was in her twenty-third year. She was born in Hudson and attended the public schools there and at Poughkeepsie, graduating from the Poughkeepsie High School and afterward entering Vassar College, from which she was graduated in 1916. She was one of the honor pupils and was selected to form one of the daisy chain, an honor most coveted by Vassar pupils. Although she had been connected with the high school only a few months, her work had attracted much attention and she gave every indication of becoming one of the most thorough teachers on the faculty. She was popular with her pupils and her associates. She is survived by her parents and two sisters, Margaret, who is a graduate of Vassar, and Frances Sagendorph. The funeral will take place from the residence of her parents on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Play By Home Talent.

"The Rip Van Winkle Play" will be presented in the Sunday school room of St. James' Methodist Episcopal Church during the latter part of February by the Queen Esther Circle of the church and H. C. McLane's Sunday school class. The cast includes about twenty-five characters who will furnish much amusement during the trip from Oneonta to Kingston.

Ocean Armory Burned.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.  
Ocean, N. Y., Jan. 23.—Fire destroyed the state armory and administration building early today causing a loss estimated at \$45,000. Very little of the contents were saved. The G. A. R. occupied rooms on the second floor of the administration building.

West Shokan Farm Sold.

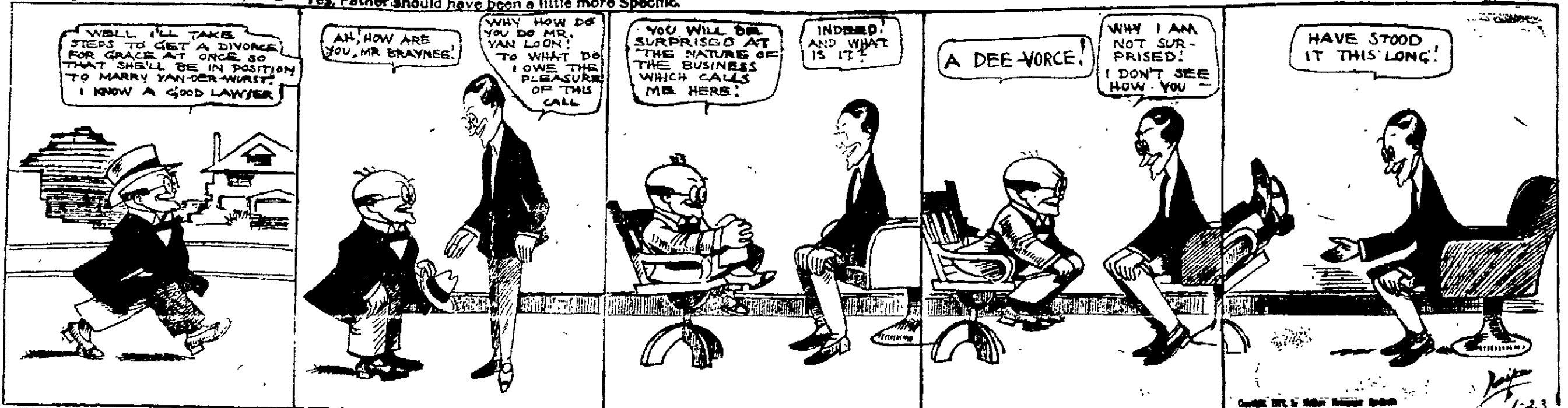
John G. Eckert of West Shokan has sold his farm to William V. Colange of that place. Mr. Colange will take possession May 1st, when he intends to build a large up-to-date grocery and feed store on the corner of the Boulevard and Bushkill road.



## Doings of the Van Loons-

Yes, Father should have been a little more Specific.

By F. Leipziger



YOU appreciate the convenience of bottled beer, and we appreciate your patronage.

## BARMANN'S THÜRINGER HOFBRÄU

**Bottled at the Brewery**  
is delivered in bottles without loss of its natural flavor, snap or sparkle. It is a pure beverage, brewed by the most scientific methods--so full of life that it tastes as though freshly drawn from the wood. Have a case handy in your home.

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## FARM BUREAU

### INVITES YOU

When our members come to Kingston we want them to feel that they have a place where they may leave extra wraps or luggage while they do their shopping around town, or where they may wait for the remainder of their party to get together before starting for home. The office is open daily, except Sunday and holidays, from eight until five, and the latch string is out for you.

The manager of the Bureau will not always be at the office to receive you as he is not an office man but a field man. He makes an effort to be at the office on Mondays and Saturdays by appointment. However, the stenographer at the office will take any message you have to leave, will do her best to find bulletins or literature on any subject upon which you wish information, and answer questions.

We have at the Farm Bureau office nearly all of the past publications of the United States Department of Agriculture, the State Department of Agriculture, the Geneva and Cornell Experiment Stations and the State College of Agriculture. We are receiving the new publications from these sources as rapidly as they are issued. We also receive the Farm Bureau publications from the 20 or more Bureaus in the State, from several Bureaus in other states, and the County Agent, a typical Farm Bureau Inspector.

Further than this, we receive regularly the publications from the Cornell Countryman, the Rural New Yorker, the Country Gentleman, Howard's Dairyman, The National Stockman and Farmer, The American Agriculturist, The Farming Business, and other publications of like nature; also the Rochester Messenger. All of this literature is available for your use if you are seeking information, or can be used by you to profitably pass your time while waiting for friends, trains, automobiles, or what not.

Make it a point to utilize the Bureau office as your headquarters when in Kingston--The Spokesman.

### KYSERIKE.

Kyserike, Jan. 22.--A large number attended the party and dance held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Aken Thursday evening. Slah Davis and Jansen Conner furnished the music for dancing. All enjoyed a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Van Wageningen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rider.

The creamery ice house was half full of ice Saturday night. The ice is from 15 to 18 inches thick.

Wednesday being the birthday of both the president of our Ladies' Aid Society, Mrs. Cyrus Van Demark, and Leroy Osterhoudt, our ladies thought it a fitting time to have a nice social time together again. So Leroy Osterhoudt and mother and family, Mrs. Jane Durham, Mr. and Mrs. Lucas Barley, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Roosa and daughter, Pearl, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lyons and children, Elva, Osterhoudt and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and Herbert, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Osterhoudt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith and daughter, Mrs. L. E. Count, D. D. will deliver a lecture entitled, "Through Warring Countries to a Warring Country, Back Again." At the M. E. Church Tuesday evening at 7:45 o'clock. A silver offering will be taken.

We are pleased to report on Isaac Freer, who has been some days ill of grip and threatened with pneumonia, to be on the gain at this time.

Ellenville ice men have been very busy the past week cutting ice of good thickness.

The Rev. C. B. Gruver of Albany very acceptably occupied the pulpit of the Lutheran Church on Sunday morning and evening.

## ELLENVILLE.

Ellenville, Jan. 22.--The first meeting of the recently organized Forum in Ellenville held at the high school auditorium Friday evening had a large attendance and the very able address delivered by Judge Cunningham, the subject, "New York State Government," was very heartily received to the profit of all attending. From 8 to 8:15, there was community singing of familiar songs, closing the program of songs with our national song. Quoting from Harry Barnhart, director of the New York Community Chorus formed in January, 1916, which meets weekly and gave a free performance of Handel's Messiah to 5,000 to 8,000 people on December 26, in Madison Square Garden. The chorus numbered 1,000. Mr. Barnhart writing to Mrs. Horton, who is interested in the Ellenville Community Chorus says:

"Your Community Chorus problem in Ellenville will have to be worked out among yourselves. The principle will work any place and as you become sincerely enthused with the thoughts of doing it, shall your enthusiasm be rewarded."

Regents examinations are being held at the high school this week. All qualified pupils from the surrounding districts will be welcome to the examinations.

A large list of new books has been added to the Ellenville Public Library which includes last fiction and a large number of miscellaneous books, including the following good books:

A Dictionary of Similes . . . . .—Frank J. Wistack.  
The Enjoyment of Architecture . . . . .—Talbot F. Hamlin  
A Diplomat's Wife in Mexico . . . . .—Edith O'Shaughnessy.  
Musical Dictionary . . . . .—Rupert Hughes.  
Mr. Brettings Sees it Through . . . . .—H. G. Wells  
From the Deep Woods to Civilization . . . . .—Charles A. Eastman  
Tales of the Labrador . . . . .—Wilfred T. Grenfell  
Society Misfits . . . . .—Maeleine Z. Doty  
Cleanings From Old Shaker Journals . . . . .—Clara E. Sears  
Reminiscences of James Whitcomb Riley . . . . .—Clara E. Laughlin  
Rev. R. H. Travis, D. D. a former pastor of the Ellenville M. E. Church has been invited to return to the Duane M. E. Church in New York city for another year. He has been pastor of this church fourteen years without change.

Mrs. C. D. Divine entertained the members of the Whist Club at her home on W. Canal street Saturday afternoon. Following the games the hostess served very delicious refreshments and they were enjoyed with a very pleasant social intercourse.

Mrs. William C. Rose will entertain the member of the Dorcas Society at her home on South Main street Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Tinsley of East Canal street is visiting relatives at Spring Valley.

A treat is in store for the Ellenville people under the auspices of the ladies of the Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church. Rev. L. E. Count, D. D. will deliver a lecture entitled, "Through Warring Countries to a Warring Country, Back Again." At the M. E. Church Tuesday evening at 7:45 o'clock. A silver offering will be taken.

We are pleased to report on Isaac Freer, who has been some days ill of grip and threatened with pneumonia, to be on the gain at this time.

Ellenville ice men have been very busy the past week cutting ice of good thickness.

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The Rev. W. H. Moser delivered a very able sermon to a large congregation at the M. E. Church Sunday morning.

Ellenville people are very glad to welcome Mahlon Smith and family. They have moved here from Cottekill. Mr. Smith has employment at the Sun Ray Water plant.

Mrs. Charles Mance of Cragmoor spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Frank J. Potter, and family.

Mrs. Charles Brown of Broadhead street was called to Nanauoch by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Smith, who is with another daughter, Mrs. Black.

HURLEY.

Hurley, Jan. 22.--The play, which has been under practice for some time, will be given Tuesday evening January 30, in the basement of the village church. The play is entitled "Al Martin's Country Store." The stage appointments will be elaborate enough for any good sized store. The storybook and post-

master is a most accommodating individual, and allows his customers especially "the sitters" to do about most anything, so that the audience will be treated to plenty of rich dialogue, good music and clever recitations, all of which will be most pleasing and full of fun. Do not forget the date, January 30, and the time, 7:45 sharp.

The annual pastor's donation this year will be the old-fashioned kind, with a good supper, plenty of sociability and enjoyment. The time selected is February 6, Tuesday evening. A hearty welcome is extended to all and an enjoyable evening is promised.

Miss Mabel Taggart is visiting at the Miller home.

Miss Anna DeWitt is visiting in Schenectady.

The death of Theodore Besson removes a very familiar face from the village. His genial manner and friendly greetings will be missed.

John P. Roosa is still confined to his house by illness.

Mrs. John A. Elmendorf is slowly improving after her late illness.

Abram DuMont is feeling about the same as for some time.

Ice cutting has been much in vogue lately, the supply coming from Joy's pond where a fine quality of ice has been harvested. The following ice houses have been filled from this source: Frank Snyder's, John Ostrander's, E. K. Markle, Ambrose Maxon's and Charles Cutler's.

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# ALTAMARI TELLS STORY OF SHOOTING

On August 3, on the day when it is alleged Louis Altamari was shot by Sam Borelli on North street near the intersection of Delaware avenue there had been a dispute between the two men at the clay banks of the Hutton Brick Company at Kingston Point and Sam had complained to the second foreman who returned to the clay bank and as a result Borelli was ordered to go back to his work or quit. Sam went back to work and finished his day's work and left the yard shortly after three o'clock, two hours before Altamari left for home.

After briefly stating the facts of the case to the jury District Attorney Wager began the examination of Louis Altamari who was first called to the witness stand. At the time of the shooting Altamari was on his way along North street to his home on Gill street.

A few minutes after five while Altamari was walking along North street he was shot by someone and a minute later Borelli came out of the bushes and walked down the street carrying a gun and disappearing in the swamp along the trolley track. He was dressed in the same manner as Police Officer Connelly charged with the assault.

Louis Altamari, the plaintiff, is forty-seven years old and has been in this country for twenty years, coming here from Italy, but when on the stand he was unable to understand English and it was necessary to use an interpreter. Since coming here he has been employed by the Hutton Brick Company, and on the day of the shooting was employed as a worker of a gang of men employed in setting out clay in the bank. Borelli with several negroes were busy setting the afternoon getting out clay and when Borelli was ordered to go to work in a certain part of the bank he objected claiming it was hard work and dangerous and went to another part of the bank to begin to work. Altamari, raised at him and ordered him back to his position and when Sam Borelli told him he could not go back to work or quit.

Borelli left the clay bank and went to the yard where he complained to the second foreman who came back to the bank to investigate the matter and finally ordered him to go to work or quit. Borelli went back to work where he was told to go and finished his work.

Altamari testified that he saw Borelli standing on the grass as he was going home and saw him as he approached within 15 or 20 feet of the spot where he lay. Borelli fired on him with a gun striking Altamari in the chest and hand and immediately fired the second charge striking the victim in the back near the hip. At the second shot Altamari fell to the ground.

According to the witness's testimony after firing the second shot Sam came down from the brush and walked toward the victim. Altamari testified that he saw Borelli walk toward him and disappeared in the swamp along the street. As he passed from view into the swamp he was carrying a gun.

There is an intimation in the case that at the time Sam was not humming at Altamari but was shooting him and supposedly shot Altamari accidentally.

A minute after the last shot was fired a trolley car on the Colonial extension in charge of Motorman McGraw and Conductor McGraw came along and stopped. Altamari was picked up and carried for aid to his home and later to the hospital. Conductor McGraw notified the police of the shooting and continued his trip.

Altamari was taken to the Beneditum Sanitarium and was under the care of Dr. Quinn for a time and then returned to his home and later was again taken to the hospital. Since the shooting Altamari has been unable to do any work.

The testimony of Altamari was corroborated by Joseph Ercia acting as interpreter.

On cross-examination, Altamari admitted that on that day he had a reputation for being a trouble maker. There was an intimation that he had a gun and after the shooting gave the gun covered with blood to someone, but this was denied by the witness.

William Schoonmaker, who lives on Liberty street and was driving a motor car of Everett's Trucks along North street on that day, was called. He saw Borelli in the brush pull a gun and fire at Altamari and then walk away. Mr. Schoonmaker testified that at the first shot the trolley car stopped and back up to the scene of the accident. This witness also saw Borelli walk away after the shooting.

John McGraw of Andrew street, the conductor on the car, was called to the stand and he had testified that he had left Kingston Point at 11:10 and had just passed the automobile when he heard the shot. He thought the tire on the car had exploded and looked back and saw the car coming on. He saw that he was opposite Altamari and a second explosion and saw Altamari fall and giving the motorist the bell the car was stopped and he stopped.

"Did you hear Altamari say anything?" asked District Attorney Wager.

"Altamari said, 'What are you doing here?'" answered the witness.

"I know you, Sam Borelli," said Altamari after Sam came from the bushes and walked away.

Witnesses testified that Altamari did not reach toward his hip pocket to get a gun when he was fired.

John McGraw, motorman on the trolley, passed the scene, and the witness who was the nearest to the spot where the shooting occurred was that he was within 200 feet of the car when the first shot was fired and was opposite when the second shot was fired.

there when Borelli came out of the bushes he was not positive if he carried a gun. He heard Altamari state that he knew who shot him.

William H. Tierney, time keeper for The Hutton Company, who lives at East Kingston, and who was driving the automobile which the trolley car had passed, was next called.

Mr. Tierney had had a visit from Sam on the day of the shooting when Sam came into the office to complain of the trouble on the bank but, "I was accustomed to hearing complaints from the men and did not pay any attention to him. He often complained," said Mr. Tierney.

Mr. Tierney was about 300 feet away when the first shot was fired and saw nothing of the defendant until he left the bushes and walked down the track toward the swamp.

At the conclusion of his testimony court took a recess until 2 o'clock when the case will be continued.

A double barreled gun used in the shooting was on exhibition in the court room. It will later be produced in evidence.

Several photographs of the scene were introduced and offered in evidence. One of a number of them are large dark spots characterized by the witnesses as "blood spots" and it is admitted by all of the witnesses that considerable blood was shed by the victim before he was moved.

The defense will probably show that the plaintiff was antagonistic toward the defendant and this caused the ill feeling between them.

The case was continued in the afternoon and will take considerable time to complete.

**Theatre Men to Fight City.**  
Managers of three Newburgh theatres, Fred M. Taylor, George Cohen and Louis F. Hammore, made a protest Monday afternoon to the city manager against the enforcement of the censorship ordinance recently passed by the city council. If the relief is not thus obtained, the theatre men will seek a Supreme Court injunction restraining the city from enforcing the ordinance, according to reports. The identity of the censors is to be kept a secret under the Newburgh plan.

**To Hear Talk on Tetanus.**  
Dr. A. A. Stern will speak before the Rotary Club Wednesday noon at the weekly luncheon at the West Shore Hotel. His subject will be "Tetanus" and Rotarians are looking forward with considerable interest to receiving information from this well known authority.

**Suited All Parties.**  
The proprietor of a Georgia seed store adopted a novel method of extracting the seeds from a special variety of watermelon which he wished to introduce, and of which he had a number of specimens. The melons were cut and a great crowd of negroes were invited in from the street to eat their favorite fruit free. All that was required of them besides eating melon was to save the seeds.

**Making a Hot Compress.**  
In the American Journal of Nursing Elizabeth Robertson gives the following directions for making a hot compress: Wet the compress with tepid water, then iron it rapidly with a very hot flatiron. This produces sufficient steam to hold more heat and obviates the necessity of wringing out excessively hot cloths.

**The Money Power.**  
Briggs-It is positively absurd to talk about a "money power" in this country. There is no such thing. Wages-I'd just like to discuss that with you. Have you got a minute to spare? Briggs-Not a minute. I've got a note due at the bank and they're bothering me to death about it.-Life.

**Eighty Per Cent.**  
"The Browns are celebrating their silver wedding next Saturday."

"Their silver wedding? Why, they've been married only five years."

"I know, but that's five times as long as anybody expected them to stay married, so they feel that they are entitled to a discount."-New York World.

**PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.**  
To Prevent Colds.  
Dr. Eugene L. Fox of the Life Extension Institute, in New York city, suggests that one of the best methods for preventing colds is to breathe as much fresh air as possible. A gift he holds, is not to be feared unless it is strong enough to be chilling. It is as safe to weaken your resistance by adding as it is to be over-zealous. The skin can be trained to help resist germ infection, and one of the worst ways to train it is to work and live and sleep in overheated rooms. The same sort of rules apply to clothing. Adapt your clothing to the condition of your health and to the conditions of the weather. One man can wear light underclothing all the year round; for another whose physique is not so hardy or who has chronic heart or kidney trouble a heavy coat is folly. It is as harmful to expose yourself too much as it is to weaken your resistance by building up baths. One man can take cold baths and be no worse for them; another of a more delicate constitution will suffer nervous shocks from the same temperatures.

Try out your skin and find out its reaction point. Of course you will do well to avoid constipation, overeating and extreme fatigue, for these all aggravate colds and flu. The man who is subject to colds should be careful in his use of tobacco, and should know that he weakens his resisting power if he drinks alcohol.

Did you hear Altamari say anything?" asked District Attorney Wager.

"Altamari said, 'What are you doing here?'" answered the witness.

"I know you, Sam Borelli," said Altamari after Sam came from the bushes and walked away.

Witnesses testified that Altamari did not reach toward his hip pocket to get a gun when he was fired.

John McGraw, motorman on the trolley, passed the scene, and the witness who was the nearest to the spot where the shooting occurred was that he was within 200 feet of the car when the first shot was fired and was opposite when the second shot was fired.

# WEDNESDAY IS THE LAST DAY OF THE GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY SALE

We had thought our stocks of special items would last throughout the week, but the demand has been so great that we have been forced to close the Sale on Wednesday.

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Men's Arctics Heavy Roll Edges <b>\$1.19</b>	Ladies' \$1.50 White Kid Gloves Not all sizes <b>1.19</b>	Children's Fleece Knitted Sleeping Garments 50c Kind <b>47c</b>	Van's "No-Rub" 10c Kind <b>7c</b>
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5c Toilet Paper 8 Rolls for <b>25c</b>	X Ray Stove Polish 5c Size <b>4c</b> 10c Size - <b>7c</b>	Ladies' Fleece long, and short sleeve Vests In all Sizes <b>25c</b>	Children's white fleece Vests Sizes 22, 24, 25c quality <b>19c</b>

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## A Woman's Rights

By ETHEL HOLMES

Miss Elinor Bates was preparing her trousseau for her marriage with Jack Weatherly when she received a note from him calling the affair off. He gave no excuse, but Elinor knew that he had never been known to back out of a girl for any length of time and felt sure that she had been repudiated.

Miss Bates was a native of South Carolina, but had spent ten of her twenty years in the north, where she had imbibed the ideas of the new woman. Her grandfather had fought a duel, and in her family the code was considered the only way of settling unpleasant affairs. These two conditions, a belief in the right of an injured person to demand satisfaction from his injurer and the elevation of women to the privileges of men, decided her to send a challenge to Mr. Weatherly.

Jack was dressing for dinner when he received Elinor's note, for she had not come so far as to send a second, and lay on his back on the dresser, reading it, finishing making a box of his back at the same time. When he had finished he lit a cigarette and, throwing himself into an easy chair, gave himself up to thought.

Now, the reason for his breaking with Elinor was that the income to support her was to come from his father, who had agreed to give him \$5,000 a year, and he had at the last moment changed his mind. Jack, thinking that an explanation of this would only serve to irritate Elinor against his father, chose another course.

Jack, who did not consider that truth had any more place in love affairs than in a statement of a woman's age, replied to the challenge by saying that he had promised his mother that he would never fight a duel. On this account he must decline to render Miss Bates what he must confess was her right to demand and to receive.

When Elinor received this letter she saw at once that her effort to punish her recalcitrant lover had failed. Had she been a man she might have published him as a poltroon and a coward with effect, but should she do so as a woman she would only make herself ridiculous. Nobody would blame him for refusing to fight a woman.

Women had horsewhipped men who had jilted them, and it seemed to Elinor that this would be the natural consequence in her case. It would be following in the course of men too. Men who had refused to fight men had been horsewhipped by the challengers. But Elinor hoped by a threat to produce results without taking such drastic measures. She wrote Jack another note stating that she proposed to horsewhip him the next time she met him. This, she thought, would bring him to his senses. There could be no stronger demand for a man than to stand in the face of a gathering crowd and receive a dressing from a woman. Miss Bates was forced to admit that this was not the same relative position as between two men, for Jack would not be privileged to strike back.

Jack thought over this new phase of the case and made up his mind to make no reply. He dearly loved the girl who was trying to punish him for a crime he had not committed and which pained him as much as it pained her.

Elinor provided herself with a whip. She endeavored to secure the traditional "cowhide" that had been used by her ancestors on those who refused to fight, but she failed to do so. However, she procured a good stout whip and struck it about her waist under her coat. She selected it on account of the color of its handle, which harmonized with that of the costume she intended to wear when she did the whipping.

To be candid, Miss Bates shrank from publicity as much as she pretended her recalcitrant lover would shrink from it. In this she was mistaken. A crowd of waiting till she met him in a crowd she went one morning to the Weatherly residence, which stood back from the street and was nearly hidden by shrubbery. Entering the grounds, she concealed herself behind

foliage and waited for Jack to appear. Presently he emerged from a side door and was making his way to the garage when Elinor pounced upon him.

Elinor had made a mistake in notifying him of her intention to horsewhip him. It enabled him to prepare himself for the encounter. As soon as she began to rain blows upon him he drew from his pocket a yard of satin ribbon and returned blow for blow with it.

Mr. Weatherly senior was in his accustomed seat in the library reading the morning paper when, hearing the sound of Elinor's whip on Jack's coat and trousers, he looked out through the window.

Raising the sash, he watched the fight for a few moments, then cried out to be informed what it meant.

Elinor ceased her blows and said: "Your son has treated me abominably, and I am punishing him as he deserves."

"Jack, you young rascal, what does this mean?"

"It means, father, that I couldn't marry without the income you promised me, and really it was you and not I who is blameable if any one is."

"How much was I to give you?"

"Five thousand a year."

"Well, sir, do your duty, and I'll do mine."

It was all made up then and there, and the settlement was made five minutes before the wedding.

**Quiet and Near London.**  
The Lovely Cotswolds Nearly Touch The World's Biggest City.  
The Cotswolds are an example of the variety of natural scenery that England succeeds in packing away within her narrow sea-barred boundaries. Here, within three hours of the largest city in the world, you can walk in complete loneliness over a grassy road, that follows the route laid out by Roman engineers, with a tumbled sky line of real mountains on your right and a sweep of empty fields falling away to the left. You can take tea in an old Roman villa, where the tiled courtyard is still smooth and tight; you can sleep in an inn that has apparently not changed its habits or its bill of fare since the days of Richard the Great.

As mountains the Cotswolds cannot pretend to any great eminence or boldness. They have no attractions for the man who wishes to brave steep cliffs or for him who would travel for a week on end through a single pine dark valley. They are well bred little hills compared with the Alps or the Rockies, but they have the true mountain flavor of loneliness and sturdy charm. The occasional farmhouse enhances the peculiar feeling of isolation, for a single human dwelling only serves to set off the loneliness.

And the roads are a perpetual delight. The King's highway winds through these hills—a public road that would cost the landed proprietor who owns the ground on either side of it half his fortune in legal expenses to close up.—Exchange

**Sound Waves.**  
Science says that the loudness of sounds varies inversely as the square of the distance. This is merely another way of saying that if you walk three times as far away from the source of the sound as you were before its loudness will not be a third what it was, but a ninth of what it was, for nine is the square of three.

On the other hand, the density of the medium which conveys sound is very important. On a frosty night the air is dense. One consequence of this is that an automobile runs better because the engine gets larger supplies of oxygen. Another result is that sounds are heard more loudly. However, the report of a gun high up in the mountains is like the sound of an exploded firecracker.

**Father of English Poetry.**  
The first English bard to attain lasting fame was Geoffrey Chaucer, who was born in London about 1340. "The father of English poetry" was the son of a vintner named John Chaucer and in his youth served the king as a soldier and was taken prisoner by the French. The English king paid \$50 for his ransom, which was quite a high price for a poet. Chaucer's most celebrated work, "The Canterbury Tales," was written between 1374 and 1400. It consists of a series of tales supposed to have been told by a company of pilgrims to the shrine of St. Thomas a Becket at Canterbury and in his pages we get such pictures of English life and ways of thought as are found nowhere else.

**Never Out of Date.**  
We are inclined to smile at the quaint maxims that our grandfathers wore, and at their rather edited, formal manners. We dispense with a great many things which were considered important a hundred years ago. But nothing pleases the new generation so much as a thing that you find it is held in as high esteem in the twentieth century as it was in the eighteenth. Industry and patience are never out of date.

**Friendship.**  
What is so great as friendship, let us carry with what candor of spirit we can. Let us be silent—so we may hear the whisper of the gods. Let us not interfere. Who set you to cast about what you should say to the next soul, or how to say anything to such? Wait and the heart shall speak. Wait until the necessary and everlasting overpowers you, until day and night avail themselves of your lips.—Emerson

**Funny Things.**  
The funniest performance is an important man's effort to appear important, although a stung man's efforts to appear generous also add something to the majesty of the nation.—Atchison Globe.





# Columbia February Records



## Instrumental and Vocal Triumphs in New Columbia List

THE most brilliant names in the instrumental field distinguish this month's list of Columbia Records: the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, with Wagner's "Ride of the Valkyries;" Pablo Casals, with Schumann's "Abendlied;" Josef Hofmann, with Paderewski's "Minuet in G;" Kathleen Parlow, with the "Cavalleria Rusticana" Intermezzo; and Eddy Brown, with Massenet's "Elegie."

Equally distinguished is the vocal list, with Oscar Seagle singing Moore's "Meeting of the Waters;" Lucy Gates rendering "Come My Beloved;" David Bispham with his famous "Danny Deever;" and Vernon Stiles singing "At Dawning" and "Because"—examples of the quality and interest of the

### New Records for February Now on Sale

Among the sixteen popular recordings, Al Jolson is again the headliner, singing "A Broken Doll"—"London Taps"—the big hit from abroad which is also recorded as a fox-trot in this month's list of dance-records.

#### A Few of the Song-Hits and Dances Listed:

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| A 2143 <b>THEY'RE WEARING 'EM HIGHER</b> 10-inch 75c. <b>IN HAWAII.</b> Morton Harvey, Baritone. <b>PRAY FOR THE LIGHTS TO GO OUT.</b> George O'Connor, Tenor. | A 5918 <b>MURIEL WALTZ.</b> "Prince's Orchestra." <b>BETTY.</b> Betty Waltz, Prince's Orchestra. <b>MY LONELY LOLA LO.</b> Medley Fox-trot. Introducing "When Evening Shadows Fall." "On the Arm of the Old Arm Chair." Prince's Band. |
| A 2153 <b>WHOSE PRETTY BABY ARE YOU</b> 10-inch 75c. <b>NOW?</b> Henry I. Marshall, Baritone. <b>HOW'S EVERY LITTLE THING IN DIXIE?</b> Arthur Fields, Tenor.  | A 5914 <b>DANCE OF THE DOLLYS.</b> Fox-trot. Prince's Band.  |

Then there is a wonderful choral recording of the second-act finale of "La Traviata," the initial recordings of James Harrod, tenor, two monumental hymns, Charles Harrison in two songs of the heart, light orchestral selections and overtures, marimba and accordion-banjo novelties, and even two story-records for the children to make this interesting list complete. Whatever your tastes you'll be sure to enjoy a visit to your dealer's today!

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## WANTS NEW RULES FOR LOCAL BODY

State Civil Service Commission Reports on Municipal Records—Secretary Birdseye Recommends Filing Cabinets For Keeping of Records.

Mayor Canfield has received a copy of the report made by Secretary John C. Birdseye of the State Civil Service Commission to that body regarding an inspection of the records of the local civil service commission last October, the most important feature of which is a recommendation that the municipal commission take up at once the matter of revising the rules and classification of the commission, which have had no revision since December 4, 1908.

Secretary Birdseye's visit was made on October 30, pursuant to instructions of the state commission. The previous official visit was on February 20, 1915.

During 1914, according to the report, thirteen examinations were held by the local commission for positions in the city government; two examinations in 1915 and two in 1916.

**Examinations and Their Results.**  
In the seventeen examinations, there were 105 candidates, fifty-five of whom passed and fifty failed. In the examination for patrolman held in December, 1914, the report states, there were really 34 candidates but in the physical examination eleven failed, and of the twenty-three who qualified only eighteen appeared for mental examination. Of the five who ultimately qualified the first two were appointed. In the examination of February, 1916, for fireman in the fire department, four of the five who were not qualified failed in physical examination.

Examinations are advertised at least ten days prior to their date by paid notice, news item and posting on bulletin board and in fire houses and the police stations. Examination questions are prepared and answers rated by the commissioners and secretary. The examination papers and records are preserved but the commission is in great need, says Secretary Birdseye, of a suitable filing case for its records. He recommends that a locking steel cabinet be obtained for that purpose.

Regarding other examinations, the report states:

"Two non-competitive examinations were held as follows: February 26, 1915, superintendent, fire alarm system; and February 2, 1916, health officer. Both candidates were found qualified, the former with a rating of 92 per cent and the latter with a rating of 89 per cent.

"A provisional examination was held for position of probation officer, January 15, 1915. The competitive examination was held January 23, 1915, and the provisional appointee had five competitors.

"In 1914, 184 persons applied for registration in the labor class. Eight were rejected on account of age and one was a non-citizen. All candidates were examined orally except those in the employ of the city who were required to register.

"In 1915 the same plan was adopted and 85 persons were registered. The 1915 registration list is still being used. The procedure of oral examination of candidates for registration in the labor class is somewhat unusual but the practice is commended. If the candidates are qualified their names are placed upon the list according to the date of filing application papers. Names are certified to the department heads and appointments made in regular order when the persons can be found and desire employment.

**Not Teachers.**  
"The accounts for services of all persons in the service of the city are certified by the secretary, with the employees of the board of education. The employees of said board have never been subject to the civil service rules. It would appear that they are city employees and we, therefore, recommend, that the Municipal Civil Service Commission proceed forthwith to obtain a roster of the employees of the board of education and to classify all positions other than superintendent and teachers. We further recommend that this classification be made effective December 1st, 1916, and that all persons holding positions, which may be classified as competitive, for a period of three years prior to December 1st, 1916, be considered as 'covered in' to the service and that no examination be required in such cases. As for those who have not served three years, the Municipal Civil Service Commission may accept provisional appointments and should proceed to hold the necessary competitive examinations.

**Records That Are Missing.**  
"The Municipal Commission has a complete roster of city employees, except those of the board of education, kept in book form. The records of the commission are sufficiently complete so as to make it possible to establish the legality of persons in the classified service, except as to records of certain examinations which are missing. At a meeting of the commission held January 23, 1914, the secretary reported that on January 2, 1914, he took possession of the office of the commission and that he found minute book, record of various eligible lists and register of appointments, but was unable to find any applications, examination papers, or records of markings in examinations held by the previous commission. These papers have never been found.

**Would Revise the Rules.**  
There has been no revision of the rules for the city of Kingston since December 4, 1908, and we recommend that the Municipal Commission take up at once the matter of revising the rules and classification and submit copy to the state commission for approval.

"The commission holds a thorough physical examination for positions in the police and fire departments but the candidates are merely reported as passed or failed. We recommend that those that are found qualified should be given a relative percentage mark, which, with its appropriate

weight, can be considered with ratings in mental examinations."

The members of the Municipal Civil Service Commission are Tjerk L. Mittenbary, contractor and builder; John F. Remus, contractor and builder; Thomas P. Clancy, foreman in the American Cigar Company's factory. All of them were appointed in January, 1914. They receive \$6 per meeting, not to exceed \$60 per year. Augustus Shufeldt, attorney at law, is secretary, having been appointed in January, 1914, his salary being \$100 per annum. The commissioners held fourteen meetings in 1914, twelve meetings in 1915, and eight meetings in 1916 up to the time of Secretary Birdseye's visit. Commissioner Mittenbary, Secretary Shufeldt and Mayor Canfield were present at the conference with Secretary Birdseye in October.

### CLINTONDALE.

Clintondale, Jan. 22.—The Sunshine Bearers Society of the Methodist Church will give a four act drama entitled "Cranberry Corners," in the Grange Hall, Clintondale, on Friday and Saturday evenings, February 9 and 10, at eight o'clock. Proceeds for a new piano.

Mrs. William Ambrose and Miss Mary Freer have gone to Florida where they will stay the remainder of winter.

Miss Gertrude Allen of Poughkeepsie visited Miss Lillian Ellis the past week.

Elton Tompkins and family of Highland visited relatives in this place Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erastus Gerald entertained a number of their friends on Friday evening, Jan. 26.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Miles W. Elmendorf on Friday afternoon, January 26.

Earl Conklin while splitting wood one day recently had the misfortune to cut off one of his thumbs.

District Superintendent P. S. Hill of the Nazarene Church and family arrived in town last week and are now located in the parsonage.

Several people from this place attended the funeral of Frank Koons at Highland on Saturday last.

### WITTENBERG.

Wittenberg, Jan. 22.—Mr. and Mrs. Madison Shultis spent Wednesday with Mrs. Emory Happy.

Several from this place attended the funeral of John L. Jones, which was held at Woodstock on Thursday.

Miss Elsie Myers spent Wednesday night with her cousin, Ruth M. Short.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Roland A. Shultis upon the arrival of a bouncing baby boy on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Short are entertaining a city guest.

A surprise party was given in honor of Mrs. Horace Myers on Tuesday evening. All present enjoyed a fine time.

Mrs. Pratt Boice and daughter of Lake Katrine are spending some time at Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Stone's.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Short and daughter, Helen, motored to Kingston on Saturday.

Miss Genevieve Shultis of Bearsville has employment at Mrs. R. A. Shultis's.

Miss W. G. Risley and Miss Kathryn DeGraff were entertained at Mrs. Watson Risley's Wednesday afternoon.

### FLATBUSH.

Flatbush, Jan. 22.—Mrs. John DeGraff has a severe attack of grip.

Mrs. Harold Osterhoudt is spending a few days in Kingston.

Herbert Swart of Port Chester, N. Y., spent Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. Benjamin Osterhoudt was brought home from the Albany Hospital Wednesday under the care of Dr. Clifford Dr. Saugerties and Miss Maude Nolan, nurse.

Mrs. Edmund Osterhoudt fell on the ice and sprained her wrist.

Miss Katherine Osterhoudt is spending a few days in New York.

The T. X. T. Club held a dance at their clubhouse Friday night.

Mrs. Arthur Woolsey was called to Kingston Friday night by the sudden death of her mother.

Mrs. Frederick Durhans was called to Saugerties Thursday by the death of her father, Joseph Seamon.

Miss Violet Reynolds has been the guest of her friend, Miss Helen Woolsey.

### ACCORD.

Accord, Jan. 22.—Mrs. George Coddington entertained a number of friends at her home Wednesday.

William Chase of Schenectady was called to this place Thursday because of the serious illness of his father.

Mrs. J. H. Smith of Lonsville is employed at H. D. Gillespie's.

The Country Women's Club met at the home of Miss Mary Morris Thursday.

James H. Chase died Friday morning after a long illness. Funeral was held at his late residence 11 a. m. on Monday. We extend sympathy.

William B. Denby of Nombacue was in town Friday.

Miss Wilma Abrams of Kingston is visiting Mrs. H. L. Devoe.

Alfred Flater, who has been quite ill, is able to be out again.

John Bush, who injured his foot recently, had the further misfortune to cut his thumb severely with an axe last week.

### GLASCO.

Glasco, Jan. 22.—The filling of the Knickerbocker ice house this winter will be under the management of Ben Deshler, provided we get the ice.

Among the victims of the grip, who were sick the past week were Mrs. Edward Lasher and Miss Myrtle Weeks.

The popular sport during the past week has been ice boating and skating. Albert Myers has one of the fastest ice yachts in this vicinity. It was formerly owned by the late J. Tyler Washburn.

George Dejanoy, who moved to Schenectady last October and secured employment there in a factory is coming back to Glasco to re-enter the employ of Washburn Bros. Co. as clerk.

A collection is to be taken this week among the brickyard employees for the benefit of Mrs. Edward Heils, who recently lost her husband.

The word "plate" is often incorrectly applied to vessels of gold. It is derived from the word "plata," which in Spanish means wrought silver.

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## ONE HORSE COLLAR LEADS TO COURT

Basch Borrowed X Which Led to Trouble Between He and Trelovsky—Once Tried and Basch Discharged.

One horse collar borrowed by Samuel Basch led to his being arrested by Morris Trelovsky of No. 72 Broadway, on a charge of assaulting him when he asked Basch to return the collar. This happened some time ago, and the trial was adjourned to this morning when it had an airing in recorder's court before Recorder Lang. At the close of the evidence the court discharged Basch for lack of evidence.

Mr. Trelovsky is 50 years of age, while Basch is a young man. Both sides told conflicting stories in regard to the argument which followed after Trelovsky learned that Basch had borrowed the horse collar. Trelovsky said his witnesses claimed that Basch had knocked him down, while Basch and his witnesses claimed no blows were struck but that Trelovsky and Basch had grasped each other by the clothing and then both slipped on some ice and fell to the ground. There was also evidence that language not usually used in polite society was exchanged.

One of the most interesting witnesses sworn on behalf of Basch was Jake Sessler, who said he is employed by the different butchers downtown to bring in cattle from the vicinity surrounding Kingston. Mr. Sessler was positive the fracas occurred at 11 o'clock in the afternoon.

"You mean 11 o'clock in the morning," said Mr. Fessenden, who represented Mr. Basch.

"No, it was 11 o'clock in the afternoon," replied Sessler, unconvinced when Mr. Fessenden said there was no such time as 11 o'clock in the afternoon.

Mr. Trelovsky before the case was called for trial, announced in court that he was willing to withdraw the complaint if Mr. Basch would contribute \$5 to the Hebrew School.

Recorder Lang said that he would be no party to a settlement, and that he was there to try the case if it was to be tried, but if the parties wished to settle it up that they should get together outside the court room.

Mr. Basch, however, was not willing to settle it and said he would prefer to have the court take the evidence in the case.

Mr. Basch was represented by Newton H. Fessenden, while Mr. Trelovsky had no attorney.

## NEW YORK'S DOWNTOWN.

Where These "Tired Business Men" Earn Their Daily Bread.

There is a region of mystery into which the metropolitan husband and father vanishes between 7:30 and 8:45 a. m. six days in the week and from which he emerges in the late afternoon. He is welcomed, after the manner of all returning warriors, with a tender solicitude.

Downtown is the trackless jungle into which father plunges to stalk the family's livelihood. After 10,000 years of civilization it is still the same. Anxious eyes follow him from the wigwam till he turns the corner to the railroad station, and fond eyes greet him as he staggers out of the elevator door in his apartment house home with his prey, so to speak, on his shoulder.

Wives will never be reconciled to downtown. It swallows up the man of the house when he would much rather stay at home and play with the children—so he pretends—and it sends him home at night too tired to be agreeable—as he asserts. Thus the little game goes on.

The primitive hunter, I imagine, made believe that he hated to leave the family and go off into the dark forest, and on his return he threw himself before the fire too tired to speak. Actually, I believe, the primitive hunter as soon as he was out of sight of home broke into a cheerful whistle. Simon Strunsky in Harper's Magazine.

## Primogeniture.

The law of primogeniture sends back its roots to the most ancient times. Away back in the patriarchal ages the firstborn son had a superiority over all his brethren and in the absence of his father was in every important sense the head of the house. Upon the death of the father he became by the unwritten law, which could not be questioned, the priest and lord of the family, and naturally to him fell the property as well as the honors of the household. Primogeniture wherever it is found today is the lingering remnant of the ancient custom.

## Dufferin's Warning Dream.

There are many stories on record of the warning dream. The late Lord Dufferin when in Paris dreamed that he was in a hearse being conveyed to a cemetery. A few days later as he was about to enter a hotel elevator he was startled to observe that the attendant was the living reproduction of the driver of the hearse in his dream. He stepped back, and the lift went up without him. Before it had reached the top of the building some breakage took place in the mechanism, and the lift crashed down to the bottom, every one in it being killed.

## For Chapped Lips or Burns.

Equal parts of turpentine, sweet oil and beeswax; melt the oil and wax together and when a little cool, add the turpentine, and stir until cool, to keep them evenly mixed. Apply with a thin linen cloth.

## No Use!

"Why don't you marry when he stays so long?" inquired the mother. "Then he'll take the hint and go." "I did that very thing," confessed the daughter, "and he told me what beautiful teeth I had."



ABOVE—LIEUT. ROBERTSON. BELOW—LIEUT.-COL. BISHOP.

## TO COURT MARTIAL AVIATORS LOST IN MEXICAN WILDS.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. G. Bishop and Lieutenant W. A. Robertson, the army aviators who were lost for ten days in the wilds of Sonora, Mexico, thirty-two miles south of the California border, are to be subjected to a court martial for having attempted a flight from San Diego, Cal., to the Imperial Valley, without authority. The propeller of their airplane broke, compelling them to land. When found they were near death from lack of food and water. Two sandwiches and two oranges were all the food or drink the men had, except water taken from their airplane tank during the ten days in which they wandered in the desert.

## Dislikes Yellow and Purple.

Because he alleges working in secret has changed his skin to a dark yellow and his hair to a rich purple color, Herman Moore has sued the Aniline Dye Works at Wappingers Falls for \$25,000. He also alleges his entire system has been poisoned.

## Don't Wait---If You Are Planning to Attend

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\$22.50 Kuppenheimer Suits and Overcoats. Clearing Sale Price .....	18.00	\$30 Kuppenheimer Suits and Overcoats. Clearing Sale Price .....	24.00

### United Clothes Suits and Overcoats

\$10.00 United Clothes, Suits and Overcoats. Sale Price .....	\$8.00	\$18.00 United Clothes, Suits and Overcoats. Sale Price .....	12.00
\$12.00 United Clothes, Suits and Overcoats. Sale Price .....	9.60	\$18.50 United Clothes, Suits and Overcoats. Sale Price .....	13.20
\$13.85 United Clothes, Suits and Overcoats. Sale Price .....	11.08	\$19.00 United Clothes, Suits and Overcoats. Sale Price .....	14.40

### Men's and Boys' Mackinaws

\$5.00 Mackinaws, new .....	\$4.00
\$6.00 Mackinaws, new .....	\$4.80
\$6.50 Mackinaws, new .....	\$5.20
\$7.50 Mackinaws, new .....	\$6.00
\$8.50 Mackinaws, new .....	\$6.80
\$9.50 Mackinaws, new .....	\$7.98

### Boys' and Children's Suits

In blouse suits, sailor suits, Oliver Twist suits, Norfolk suits, in all the new shades of browns, grays and blues; will go fast at sale prices.

\$2.50 Suits, sale price .....	\$2.00
\$3.00 Suits, sale price .....	\$2.40
\$4.00 Suits, sale price .....	\$3.20
\$5.00 Suits, sale price .....	\$4.00
\$6.00 Suits, sale price .....	\$4.80
\$7.50 Suits, sale price .....	\$6.00

### Men's Pants

\$1.25 Pants, sale price .....	\$1.00
\$1.50 Pants, sale price .....	\$1.20
\$2.00 Pants, sale price .....	\$1.60
\$2.50 Pants, sale price .....	\$2.00
\$3.00 Pants, sale price .....	\$2.40
\$4.00 Pants, sale price .....	\$3.20
\$5.00 Pants, sale price .....	\$4.00
\$6.00 Pants, sale price .....	\$4.80

### Men's Fur Coats Fur Lined And Plush Lined Fur Trimmed Overcoats

### Boys' and Children's Overcoats

\$3.00 Overcoats, sale price .....	\$2.40
\$4.00 Overcoats, sale price .....	\$3.20
\$5.00 Overcoats, sale price .....	\$4.00
\$6.00 Overcoats, sale price .....	\$4.80
\$8.00 Overcoats, sale price .....	\$6.40
\$10.00 Overcoats, sale price .....	\$8.00
\$18.00 Coats .....	\$14.40
20.00 Coats .....	16.00
22.50 Coats .....	18.00
30.00 Coats .....	24.00
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Persons desiring to rent costumes for the occasion may secure them from a costumer of New York City who will be in Kingston for that purpose. It is necessary that the Committee know in advance how many desire to be accommodated. Make application before 7 p. m. on Wednesday evening to Joseph Block, 36 Broadway; Conrad Rabel at Hotel Eichler, or Elmer Burger, 3 Main St.

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## That Made a Difference.

"The defendant admits," said the traffic cop, "that he went around the corner on two wheels." "Fifty dollars fine or thirty days," said the judge. "But does your honor know," interrupted the defendant's counsel, "that the defendant was riding a bicycle?"—Buffalo Express.

## Helpfulness.

You cannot help any one very much unless you can inspire him with the ambition to help himself, and that is why a good example is worth more than any other kind of assistance. Make right-doing so attractive in your own life that it will inspire the onlookers to do right.

## Good Advice Wanted.

The Life Extension Institute issues a statement advising girls and young women to go to bed early every night, to shut out and in no circumstances to eat ice cream. They will be glad to follow this advice, beginning on the same day they stop talking about clothes.—New York Herald.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

**DR. C. A. GABELER**, formerly with the Holmes Dental Parlors, will engage in the practice of dentistry at 271 FAIR ST., Weisburg Building, on or about January 29th. Office will be equipped with the latest modern appliances.

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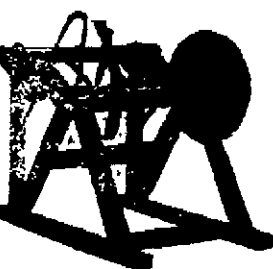
The doctor says Stomach trouble is the cause of nine-tenths of all sickness and unless the stomach performs its functions properly you cannot enjoy health. In the treatment of stomach liver and intestinal disorders Dr. Swinburne's methods will produce remarkable results and enable patients who have suffered for years from indigestion or irregular bowel functions to realize permanent relief.

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter K. Gill, surrogate of the last will and testament of Abba G. Slater, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of the said Abba G. Slater, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, to present the same with vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, John J. Slater, the executor of the last will and testament of Abba G. Slater, deceased, at his residence, No. 125 Ferry street, in the said city of Kingston, county of Ulster, on or before the 27th day of February, 1917.

**JOHN J. SLATER,**  
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Abba G. Slater, deceased.  
John T. Cahill, Attorney for Executor,  
100 Clinton Ave., Kingston, Ulster County.

**NOW IS TIME TO  
BECOME A MEMBER**

The Bureau of Social Service is sending out notices of the annual dues to its members. For a sustaining membership \$5, and for a regular membership \$1 is the fee. At the present time the Bureau has about 500 members. Now is the time for any one interested in local charity work to become a member of the organization which has been doing excellent work since its establishment.

**PRINTER-CONVERT IS DEAD.**

Reuben Johnson of Newburgh Was 96 Years Old.

Reuben Johnson, aged 96 years, died Saturday at the City and Town Home, in Newburgh. He was an old-time printer and was one of the party that went from this country to set up the first perfecting press used in England. He was active in the old fire department of New York city being a member of Engine Company No. 33. At the great fire, December 16, 1825, he did much work. This fire destroyed the entire financial and business district of New York city and more than 600 mercantile firms were burned out. The property loss at that time was \$20,000,000.

He later got into bad company, and was finally a nervous, physical and financial wreck until 1850, when he was converted at the McAuley Mission, at Water street, New York, through the intercession of Sarah Sherwood known as the "Angel of the Mission." About 17 years ago he came to Newburgh with Col. Hadley, and opened the mission at Broadway. Since that time he had always resided there, going to the McAuley Mission every year on his birthday.

**STONE RIDGE**

Stone Ridge Jan. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Allen and daughter Catharine, of Summerville, are spending a week with Mrs. Mary Brink.

The Hard Time Social in the lecture room of the Methodist Church was much enjoyed by those who attended.

Plans are being made for a Washington's Birthday party to be held on February 22, at the home of Miss Olive Terwilliger, under the auspices of the Pricilla Club, assisted by the officers and members of the Sunday school. These plans will be made known later in the columns of this paper.

The Rev. Mr. McPherson preached an excellent sermon on Sunday morning, January 21. Mr. McPherson is attending Drew Seminary in Madison, N. J. and at the same time doing excellent work for his church here.

Leroy Styles who has been seriously ill from blood poisoning is recovering, but must undergo an operation upon his shoulder.

Simon DuBois formerly of this place, has undergone a serious operation at the Wauna Sanitarium.

**BEARSVILLE**

Bearsville, Jan. 22.—Mr. and Mrs. B. Happy have returned to their home in Wittenberg after spending some time with their daughter Mrs. F. P. Shults.

Norman Shults has gone to Tarrytown where he has employment for the winter.

The Misses Edna and Edythe Shults are visiting relatives and friends in New York city.

Miss B. R. Shults was the guest of Miss Gladys Short in Wittenberg Saturday afternoon and Sunday.

We are sorry to know that our pastor the Rev. Mr. Kerr, has the grip. All hope for his speedy recovery.

Miss Genevieve Shults is staying at Mrs. R. A. Shults, Wittenberg.

**WILLOW**

Willow Jan. 23.—F. M. Hoyt has returned home after spending some time in Port Ewen.

Elmer Wilber spent Sunday at Nink Hollow.

Willard Quick was in this place on Saturday.

John Humphrey is confined to the house with the grip.

Louie Lane spent Saturday night with Ray Ford.

Mrs. Will Hoyt has returned home after spending some time with Mrs. Clarence Wolven.

Mrs. R. E. Wilber and F. M. Hoyt spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. C. Hoffman.

There was no Sunday school in the M. E. Church on Sunday owing to the icy walking.

**ST. REMY.**

St. Remy, Jan. 22.—The Rev. L. P. Shafer gave a very interesting talk on Japan on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Belle Parker attended the teachers' conference at New Paltz last Friday and spent the week end with friends in Poughkeepsie.

The men of this place worked on the ice at Diamond's pond last week and finished on Saturday.

Mrs. I. F. Freer spent the week end at Poughkeepsie.

A Rothenberger spent Sunday with Mrs. Mary Agnew and family.

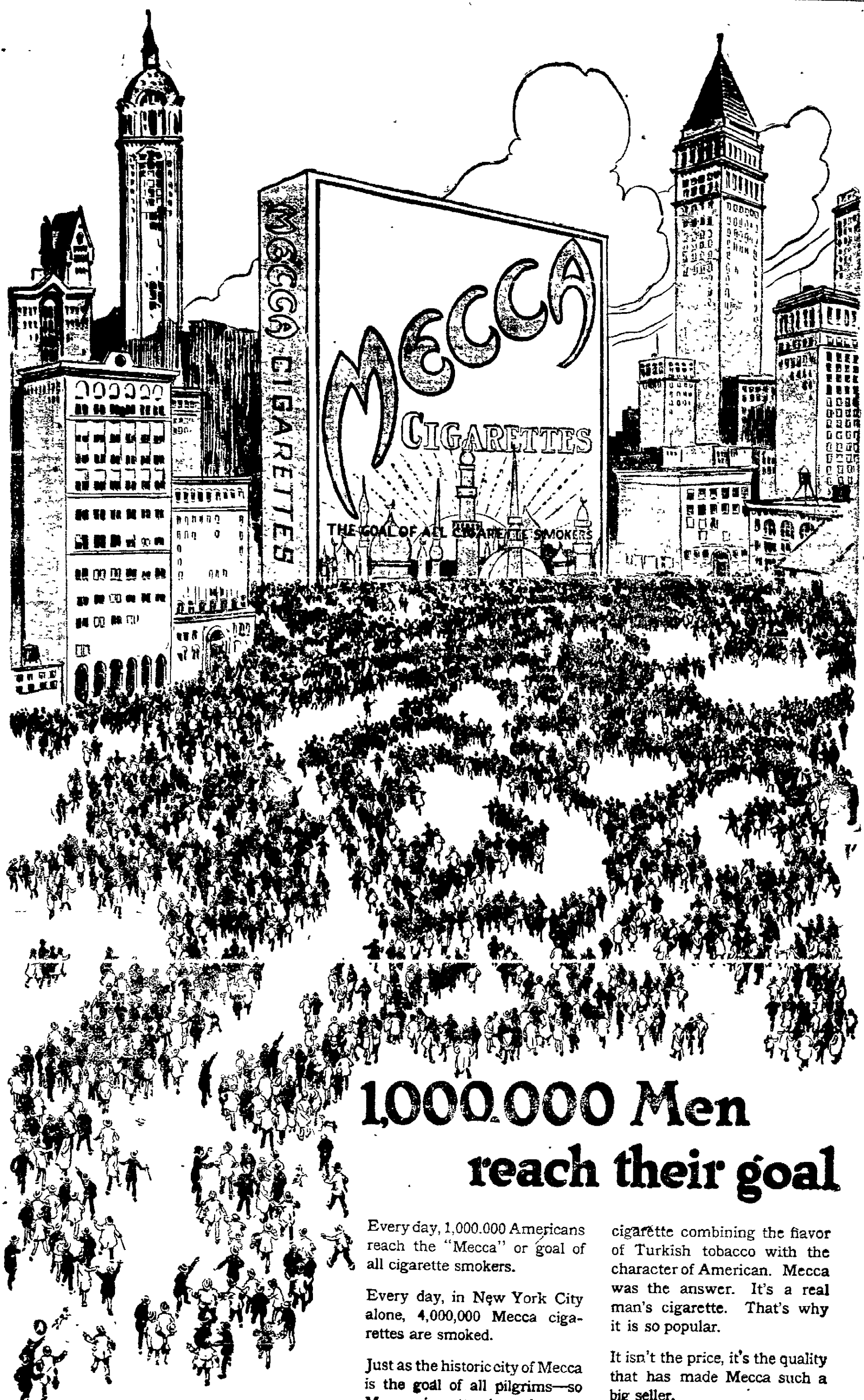
Miss Eva Lyons has gone to New York city.

Mrs. William Beecher is ill.

**STONE RIDGE.**

Stone Ridge, Jan. 22.—There will be a Mystic Social at the Reformed church Wednesday evening, January 24. During the evening a silver collection will be taken up. Proceeds for the benefit of the Missionary Society.

Basketball and dance in the Orange Hall Friday evening, January 26, between the Stone Ridge Grange team and the Pioneers of Kingston. The game promises to be a very interesting one, because both are fast teams. Stere Miller will furnish music. Admission the same as usual. Refreshments for sale.



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## TO URGE BILL FOR CANAL TERMINAL

Kingston to Unite With Hudson Valley Chambers of Commerce for Necessary Legislation—Meet in Newburgh Friday.

Acting on the instance of the Barre Terminal Committee of the Newburgh Chamber of Commerce, President George E. McVoy of Peeks-kill, president of the Hudson Valley Chamber of Commerce, has called a meeting of representatives of interested communities at The Palatine Hotel on Friday of this week at 10 o'clock to take steps to have a bill introduced in the legislature to appropriate a sufficient sum to erect terminals at Newburgh and other Hudson river points which have been approved by the canal board.

At a meeting of representatives of river towns who attended the annual dinner of the Newburgh Chamber held immediately following that function, the matter of terminals was discussed and it was agreed that concerted action would be necessary to obtain recognition by the legislature. Poughkeepsie, Kingston and Yonkers were represented at that meeting. These cities, which are vitally interested in the project, will be represented at the meeting on Friday, as will Peekskill and perhaps Hudson, although the latter city has so far filed no application for a terminal. The delegates will be the guests of the Newburgh chamber at luncheon.

**The American Marriage.**  
It has long been axiomatic that the American wife identifies herself on her superiority to her husband, though she refrains from telling him so. On the other hand, the American business man has ever been accused of sacrificing his wife on the altar of his own absorption in money-making, and of saving the wounds due to his neglect with the ointment of unlimited credit.

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NEW YORK SUPREME COURT, THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT, Ulster County, in the matter of the application and petition of John J. Benson, Charles N. Chadwick and Charles A. Shaw, constituting the Board of Water Supply of the city of New York, to acquire real estate for and on behalf of the city of New York, in the towns of Olive, Marlinton and Hurley, Ulster county, New York, etc.

To Honorable Lamer Hardy, corporation counsel of the city of New York, and to ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: TAKE NOTICE, that whereas William H. Gibson of the city of New York, Philip Elting of the city of Kingston, N. Y., and George Davis of Nanuet, N. Y., were duly appointed by order of this court on May 1, 1915, and duly entered, commissions to ascertain and determine the damages, if any, that anyone may be entitled to in reason of section 12, chapter 22 of the laws of 1905 as amended, and where said commissions were duly appointed by order of said court, made July 22nd, 1916, and whereas said William H. Gibson has duly made and filed his resignation as such commissioner.

That the undersigned remaining commissioners, appointed to and by said orders, do hereby, pursuant to section 12, chapter 22 of the laws of 1905 as amended, give notice that they will apply to the supreme court of the state of New York, in the court thereof, appointed to be held in Ulster county, New York, on the 2nd day of February, 1917, at ten o'clock a. m., of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order appointing a special master, to be appointed by the court, to ascertain and determine the damages, if any, that anyone may be entitled to in reason of section 12, chapter 22 of the laws of 1905 as amended, and for such other and further relief as the premises may be deemed proper.

Dated at Kingston, Ulster county, New York, this 22nd day of January, 1917.

Yours etc.

PHILIP ELTING, GEORGE DAVIS, Commissioners of Appraisal.

PHILIP ELTING, ESQ., Attorney for Petitioners.

Office and D. W. Address, 250 Wall Street, Kingston, N. Y.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York, in the matter of Benjamin H. Scher, bankrupt, No. 220.

To the creditors of said bankrupt:

You are hereby notified that Frank E. Hedges, the trustee of the estate of said bankrupt, has filed in said court a statement of the undersigned, referred to herein, where it may be inspected by creditors, and that a final meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held at the court house, No. 22 Montgomery street, in the city of Newburgh, Ulster county, N. Y., on February 22nd, 1917, at 11 o'clock a. m., at which meeting the said statement will be read and considered, and if found correct the same will be allowed and the estate of said bankrupt will be closed, and the amount, if any, remaining due to the creditors will be determined by the referee and the said amount will be paid to the creditors as applicable to their claims, and any other business to be performed at said meeting may be transacted.

You are further notified that the undersigned, being duly sworn, certifies that the above statement is true and correct, and that he is not a creditor of said bankrupt, and that he is not a party to the same.

Dated January 22, 1917.

WALTER C. ANTHONY, Referee in Bankruptcy.

### SOCIETY NOTES.

Mrs. George K. Colden and Mrs. Walter J. Weeks have issued invitations for a dinner to be given at The Stuyvesant Hotel on Wednesday.

Announcement is made that Miss Tillie Edelstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Edelstein of New York city and Fleischmanns, will be married to Mr. Berg on March 15, 1917. Mr. Berg spent his vacation at The Hillcrest in Fleischmanns where he met Miss Edelstein.

A very pleasant birthday party was given Isaac Van Vleet on Monday evening, January 22, at his home, 267 Washington avenue. A number of guests were present. Mr. Van Vleet received many beautiful gifts. Games and music were enjoyed and dainty refreshments were served. The party departed at a late hour wishing him more happy birthdays.

**Daughters of Isabella Social.**  
A social evening will be enjoyed by Court Santa Maria, Daughters of Isabella, on Thursday evening of this week, at Pythian Hall. The hostess this month will be Mrs. Margaret Reynolds. She will be assisted by the Misses Katherine Humphrey, Isabelle Flannigan, and Estelle McGee. As this will be the first social of the new year, and as arrangements will be made for the combination minstrel and play to be given by the society in the near future (as well as for other interesting events), a full attendance of members is urged.

**Ingram-Bird.**  
William F. Ingram, Jr., of No. 433 Wilbur avenue, and Miss Viola Bird of No. 83 Ten Broeck avenue, were married on Sunday by the Rev. J. H. Bridgely. The attendants were Arthur Deitz and Mayme Berthold.

**Jones-Garrison.**  
Miss Nellie M. Garrison and Arthur L. Jones, both of this city, were quietly married by the Rev. A. Schmidt on the Spring Street Lutheran Church on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The attendants were Louis Otto and Miss Agnes Remus.

**Freeman-VanDeMark.**  
Dr. Gertrude VanDeMark, daughter of the late Dr. John VanDeMark, formerly of Rosendale, and Milton Harvey Freeman of New York city, were married at Stone Ridge Saturday night and are spending several days at The Stuyvesant Hotel.

**Monday Club.**  
The members of the Monday Club were the guests this week of Mrs. DeWitt Rousa. Mrs. Higginson had the paper for the day and gave a remarkably fine, comprehensive and entertaining presentation of the subject, "Pan-Americanism." The club received the invitation from the Chamber of Commerce to attend the dinner at the Eagle tomorrow night and the meeting at the Y. M. C. A. following, and expressing their interest in the matter, took proper cognizance of the same. Next week the club will meet with Mrs. G. D. B. Hushbrock. At this meeting the members will make selection of the subject for next year's work.

**Twentieth Century Club.**  
The Twentieth Century Club met on Monday evening and were entertained by Mrs. Van Vleet. The roll call of Current Events was followed by a discussion led by Mrs. Brodhead, who gave an account of the "Sports of Canada." Mrs. Van Vleet told of the "Important Cities of Canada," and Mrs. Van Tassel described the "Irrigation Problems." Then came a Round Table under the supervision of Mrs. J. T. Johnson, who gave an account of the "Fisheries of the Northwest," while Mrs. Walker depicted the interesting features of the "Lumber Industry." Mrs. Ryder described the "Great Wheat Fields," and Mrs. Harrison told of the "Mineral Resources." Taken altogether, it was an afternoon filled with interesting information for all of the club members. Much interest was taken by this club in the invitation from the Chamber of Commerce for the dinner at the Eagle tomorrow evening and the address at the Y. M. C. A. afterward, and several of the members signified their intention of attending. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. W. W. Frod, on Thursday at her home on Clinton avenue.

**Soiskanishade Club.**  
Mrs. George Styles, Jr., was the hostess of the Soiskanishade Club this week. The roll call of "Historical New York" offered a wide field for discussion as well as the presenting of historical facts. Mrs. Leighton, who had the paper for the day was unable to be present, and her admirable paper was read by Miss Brewster. The subject was "The Empire State," which carefully presented sketches of the history of the state under Indian, Dutch, English and American control. The advantages of rail, canal, water, transportation, and the industrial opportunities were mentioned. Attention was also called to the important educational institutions in the state, the beauties of its religious structures and its admirable conditions for residential purposes. This most interesting and instructive paper was followed by a shorter paper by Mrs. Proulx, whose topic was "Picturesque Ulster." She gave a graphic account of the beauties of the Catskills, the wonders of the Hudson; the unique beauty of Lake Mohonk, the charm of the Ashokan Reservoir country. Mention was also made of the private lakes and estates, and a brief picture was sketched of each town in the county. This club expects to show its appreciation of and interest in the invitation from the Chamber of Commerce to be present at both the dinner at the Eagle tomorrow evening, and the following address, especially as the subject is one of particular value to home keepers. Next week this club will meet with Miss Cloonan.

**For a T. R. Stogan.**  
The Poughkeepsie Branch of the Poughkeepsie Board of Health has offered a \$5 prize for the best slogan submitted from school children of that city.

# ARMORY, Thursday, Jan. 25th

## McENELLY'S

### Concert 8 to 9 Tickets 50c Dancing 9 to 1

### AUTOMOBILE NOTES.

With a reorganization which will enable the board of directors of the Orange County Blue Book and Magazine to extend the scope of its publication, the little magazine which entered the field of journalism so auspiciously a few months ago, will become one of the leading publications of its kind within a short time if the plans of its promoters are realized.

**Kaisers Win First Victory.**

The newly organized Kaiser five journeyed to Albany Saturday evening where they played a game of basketball with the Albany All Stars. The Kaisers were victorious by a score of 16-15. It was one of the hardest fought games ever played and was witnessed by a large crowd. First one team then the other from the very start would take the lead. With but one minute to play and the score 15-14 in Albany's favor, W. Van Keuren, who substituted for Joyce in the second half, came tearing down the floor and with two men on his back landed the two-shot that won the game. Van Keuren was then carried off the floor on the shoulders of his teammates amid the wild cheers of the audience. The Kaisers lined-up as follows: Joyce, Noonan, Van Keuren, forwards; D. Moxham, center; L. Weber, G. Roche, guards. The Kaisers play at Hudson tonight.

**Poughkeepsie Auto Show Open.**

Poughkeepsie's third automobile show opened this afternoon at the state armory in that city with 54 cars on exhibition, the largest car show shown by the MacFarlan Six, shown by Forsyth & Davis of Kingston. This company is also showing a Peerless touring car and its exhibit is a feature of the show. Secretary of State Francis M. Hugo opened the show with a brief speech and the affair will close with a grand ball next Monday night.

**Split in Ukelele Land.**

On January 2, 1917, the courts of Hawaii granted an absolute divorce to Julius M. Corrie of Honolulu, T. H., from his wife Anna Edna Corrie, of Wahiakii, N. Y., on the grounds of desertion.

**Metchnikoff as a Cook.**

One day some distinguished visitors who had arrived in Paris and were being escorted about by a committee were taken to call upon the late Professor Metchnikoff, the famous scientist who believed that the secret of long life lay in diet toward the hour of the day. The committee was all the emptier, as most of the workers had departed for that sacred meal, the French dinner. But Metchnikoff was there himself, intent on a vessel he was holding over a gas burner. "It must be a very interesting experiment that keeps you engaged even at this hour," remarked one of the committee.

"Look for yourself," said Metchnikoff, and, continuing to stir with a glass tube, held up the dish so that a delicious fragrance rose to the noses of the visitors. "That's what I'm working at," he laughed, "bananas in slices, fried in butter. They are excellent."—World's Work.

### DIED.

**ALLEN**—At Sonyea, N. Y., January 21, 1917. Robert Compkins Allen, beloved son of Myron S. Allen. Funeral services will be held from the residence of his parents, No. 46 Lavan street, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment at Rhinebeck, N. Y.

**MADDER**—At Briarcliffe Manor, on Sunday, January 21, 1917. Fredericka, widow of the late John Madder. Remains will arrive on the 11:00 New York Central train Wednesday morning. Interment in Montrose cemetery. Automobile cortege. Relatives and friends invited.

**MC KINSTRY**—In this city, Jan. 22, 1917. Catherine Hardenburch, wife of the late Alfred D. McKinstry, in her 85th year. Funeral at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Augustus Van Buren, No. 282 Washington avenue, on Wednesday at 4 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Shawangunk Cemetery on Thursday.

**O'BRIEN**—At Lenox, Mass., Sunday, January 21, 1917. Cornelius O'Brien. Funeral will be held from the parlors of John A. Molloy, 270 Fair street, on Wednesday morning, January 24, at 9 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Joseph's church at 9:30 o'clock. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

**REIDMAN**—In this city, Jan. 21, 1917. Ellen Dalton, beloved wife of John P. Reidman. Funeral from her late residence, No. 26 Adams St., Wednesday, Jan. 24, at 9:30 a. m. and at St. Mary's church at 10 o'clock, where a requiem high mass of requiem will be offered, or the repose of her soul. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

The members of St. Mary's Branch No. 258, L. C. B. A. are requested to attend the funeral of our late sister, Mrs. Ellen Reidman at St. Mary's church at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. CATHERINE A. ROACH, President.

**KINGSTON OPERA HOUSE**  
O. S. HATHAWAY, Manager  
DAILY - 2:30, 7:15 and 9:00  
TONIGHT, 7:15 and 9:00  
Y. M. C. A. AUDITORIUM WEDNESDAY, JAN. 24.  
LASKY-PARAMOUNT Presents FANNY WARD, in  
"THE YEARS of the LOCUST"  
Miss Ward is famous for her wardrobe. One of the most remarkable single ornaments which Miss Ward wears in this picture is a wedding veil which she wore when she was married several years ago.  
ALSO TRIANGLE-KEYSTONE COMEDY.

Opera House Wednesday Auditorium Thursday  
**MARGUERITE CLARK** in  
"Miss George Washington"

**MRS DOROTHY GATES HEHRMANN**  
LOVE LETTERS SAVE "PONY BRIDE" FROM ANNULMENT OF MARRIAGE.  
New York, Jan. 23.—Several love letters written to her "dearest boy," saved Dorothy Gates Herrmann, known as the "pony bride," from having her marriage to Philip Herrmann annulled on the application of young Herrmann's parents. Philip Herrmann, son of the millionaire contractor, on a vacation from a military academy, met Dorothy, who was a "pony" in musical comedy. They were married secretly, and when Herrmann's parents learned of it they applied to the courts for an annulment, which was denied on the strength of the love letters written by the bride.

**PRINCE WILLIAM AND PRINCE LOUIS FERDINAND**  
FUTURE CROWN PRINCE OF GERMAN ROYAL FAMILY.  
Prince William, the eldest son of Crown Prince Frederick William, is shown taking a ride on a sled. Pushing the sled is his brother, Louis Ferdinand. William is eleven and Louis Ferdinand is ten years old. On January 21 they will attend in special train to Berlin, their grandfather, who will celebrate his fifty-eighth birthday.  
Daily Thought.  
Our dead are never dead to us until we have forgotten them.—George Eliot.  
Meteorological Note.  
The Lord sends the sunshine and the rain, but the farmer must do his own plowing.—Christian Herald.

**Y. M. C. A. AUDITORIUM**  
C. C. GILDERSLEEVE, Res. Mgr.  
DAILY - 3:00, 7:15 and 9:00  
TONIGHT, 7:15 and 9:00  
GREATER VITAGRAPH PRESENTS  
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## WHO IS ANXIOUS TO BE A COP?

The local civil service board has decided to hold examinations on February 2nd, at the city hall to make up an eligible list from which to select a man from the police force to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Sergeant Murray, which takes effect the last of this month, and also to make up an eligible list from which a man may be appointed to fill the vacancy on the force caused by the elevation of one of the cops to be a sergeant.

The examination for police sergeant is held for members of the police force only who have served six months on the force. The pay is \$1,200 a year.

The examination for patrolman, which pays a salary of from \$70 to \$80 a month, will be held the same evening and all applicants must be at least 5 feet 9 inches tall and at least 23 years and not more than 38 years of age.

Intending applicants should apply for blanks to Augustus Shufelt, the secretary of the civil service board.

### Another Reply to Peacock.

Hurley, N. Y.

January 22, 1917.

My Dear Editor:

If you will but allow me a little space in your daily I shall consider it a great favor to Kingston High School.

I am a student of that school, and am very much interested in remarks made concerning it.

I refer to the words of Mr. Peacock, which were to the effect that dirty, low dances are put on at the high school.

I would like to inform the public that all dances close at 11:30, that they are properly chaperoned by members of our honored faculty, that the couples who make up the dances are the sons and daughters of Kingston's best families.

Anyone who says that any dance held in Kingston high school is low and dirty is making an infamous assertion.

Furthermore it is an insult to the students, to the board of education, to the faculty and to the school.

Therefore it must be publicly contradicted as a lie, or held as the shameful truth.

Trusting I have not written too much, I am

Respectfully,

AUBREY ARNST.

### U. S. Naval Exam.

Seven ambitious young men are anxiously waiting for word from Washington as to the results of the competitive examinations for appointment to the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis. As there is but one appointment from this assembly district, just one of these men will wear Uncle Sam's flag as an officer. Among those who tried the examination were: LeRoy Gill and Earl Snyder, both well known graduates of Kingston High School. The other entries were from Hudson, Catskill and the small towns of the district. It is hoped that the youths of Kingston will compare favorably with their out of town neighbors in scholarship.

### Big Lumber Purchase Made.

Jam's Holden, of the Bear-der Lumber Company, with an office in Port Jervis, has purchased the Dr. Darlington place at Forestburgh, Sullivan county. The purchase contains between 800 and 900 acres. It was formerly the Alford Gilman place. The company bought the property for the lumber of which there is probably 2,000,000 feet of hemlock and pine. On the place are 200 acre or more of timber; four first-trout ponds, two brooks, a saw mill, two dwelling houses and out buildings.

### Good Game and Good Dance.

Tomorrow evening the game of all games will be played at the Holy Cross Parish House when the Young Catholics line up against the Pioneer team in a good game of basketball. One of the fastest contests ever witnessed is expected to take place. The Catholics now have a record of six straight and the Pioneers five straight, each losing one the very first, each meeting and defeating some of the fastest teams in the city and county. Dancing will be a feature after the game with music by S. Muller's well known orchestra.

### Wingdale Site For Prison.

Wingdale, in Dutchess county, was chosen yesterday by a commission appointed by Governor Whitman as the site for the state's proposed new farm and industrial prison. After a public hearing at Elbert H. Gary's office, 71 Broadway, a quorum of Charles Bulkeley Hubbell, chairman; Judge Gary, and Lewis F. Pilecher, state architect, voted for the Wingdale site in preference to Beekman, also in Dutchess county, which was the site of the National Guard mobilization camp.

### A Troublesome Nose.

Will Kelly went to Kingston on Friday, January 5, to undergo an operation upon his nose. He returned on Tuesday, the 9th, and caught a heavy cold and was confined to his home the rest of the week. He returned to Kingston to have a second operation performed upon his nasal bone Tuesday, the 16th, and returned the same day. "Bill" says that if nothing further occurs he will leave for his work in Bristol, Vt., next Tuesday. — Fleischmanns Herald.

### Strain Too Much for Woman.

Miss Platt, a sister of Congressman Edmund Platt of Poughkeepsie is a patient in a Cornwall sanitarium. She has had a nervous breakdown, it is understood. Miss Platt worked assiduously in her brother's behalf in the last campaign and her illness is attributed to this.



JOHN MCGRAW  
CAN'T UNIONIZE BASEBALL.  
SAYS MCGRAW, BECAUSE IT  
IS AN ART.

John McGraw doesn't believe that the unionization of baseball is possible. According to "Jawn," he has watched the progress of the Players' Fraternity from the start, and has been convinced that it was doomed to failure.

"I have seen many such movements started in the past," says McGraw, "but none of them has ever succeeded. They soon died down and were forgotten."

"Baseball cannot be unionized because it is an art. The past history of the organization, and I have read a great deal upon it, has shown that art cannot be organized in this fashion. Baseball is an art; if it wasn't we wouldn't have minor and major leagues. They would all be the same."

### White Bread Fattening.

White bread is fattening because we rarely digest it completely. Starchy foods are quite unaffected by the gastric juices which digest the meats. Their digestive ferments are obtained chiefly from the saliva in the mouth, which therefore should be thoroughly mixed with each mouthful before swallowing. But white bread is so soft and lacking in substance that we unconsciously swallow it long before it has had a fair chance to become sufficiently fermented with the digestive saliva. The result is delayed digestion if digestion takes place at all, and at the best the starch is very apt to be converted into disfiguring unwanted and unhealthy fat.

### Roughage For Dairy Cows.

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New Seeded RAISINS, pkg. 10c Seedless Raisins, bulk, lb. 13c

Pork Chops, lb. 22c Fancy Sliced BACON, lb. 25c

Native VEAL ROAST, lb. 22c Legs Spring LAMB, lb. 25c

Honeycomb TRIPE, lb. 12½c Pickled PIGS' FEET, lb. 10c

Corned BEEF, lb. 12½c

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12c Bot. Vinegar 10c Love Molasses, tin 15c Sunbeam Asparagus, tin 25c 25c Tin Hunt's Apricots 20c 2 lb. Tin Pineapple 17c Royal Blend Coffee, lb. 21c Kellogg's Corn Flakes, pkg. 8c Royal Baking Powder, 50c can 39c Solid Pack Tomatoes, 2 cans 23c Fine Head Rice, 4 lbs. 25c Mohican Pure Jams, 25c jar 20c New Rolled Oats, 6 lbs. 25c Fancy Tomato Catsup, 15c bot. 21c for 21c

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Miss Lodi M. Kitz, stenographer, with Emerson Motor Co., City. Samuel Mosher, bookkeeper with Hitchins & Co., Newark, N. J. L. J. Mosher, stenographer, with J. H. B. Co., New York City.

Miss Mary Neal, stenographer, with Emerson Motor Co., City. Miss Gordon, with Adams Express, Binghamton, N. Y.

Miss Madelon E. Woerner, stenographer and librarian Supreme Court Chambers, City.

John Lafferty, clerk, with New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R.

Miss Veltina Hill, stenographer, with large law firm, Broadway, New York City.

Miss Viola Wagon, stenographer, with Emerson Motor Co., City.

Arthur Hillis, with Fuller Shirt Factory, Pine Grove Ave., City.

Miss Vera Wasson, stenographer, with Canfield Supply Co., City.

C. P. DeWitt, stenographer, with L. W. F. Engineering Co., College Point, L. I.

Earl Rieger, bookkeeper, with C. E. Hasbrouck, E. Strand, City.

Irvine, Anster, stenographer, with Maurice Deutsch, Engineering, 50 Church St., New York City.

John Schantz, bookkeeper, with Armour & Co., Middletown, N. Y.

Miss Helen Stoll, stenographer, with Bassett's Clothing Store, Ghent Falls, N. Y.

Charles H. Granvich, stenographer, with Martin Cantine Company, Saugerties, N. Y.

Mark Lockwood, Manager, Texas Oil Company, City.

Fred Schoenmaker, stenograph, with Rondout National Bank City.

Frank Decker, combined com. assistant, Emerson Motor Co., City.

Simon D. B. Snyder, stenographer, with Nitro Powder Co., Port Jervis, N. Y.

Albert Kitz, stenographer and clerk, Superintendent's office, Delaware & Northern Railroad Company, Margaretville, N. Y.

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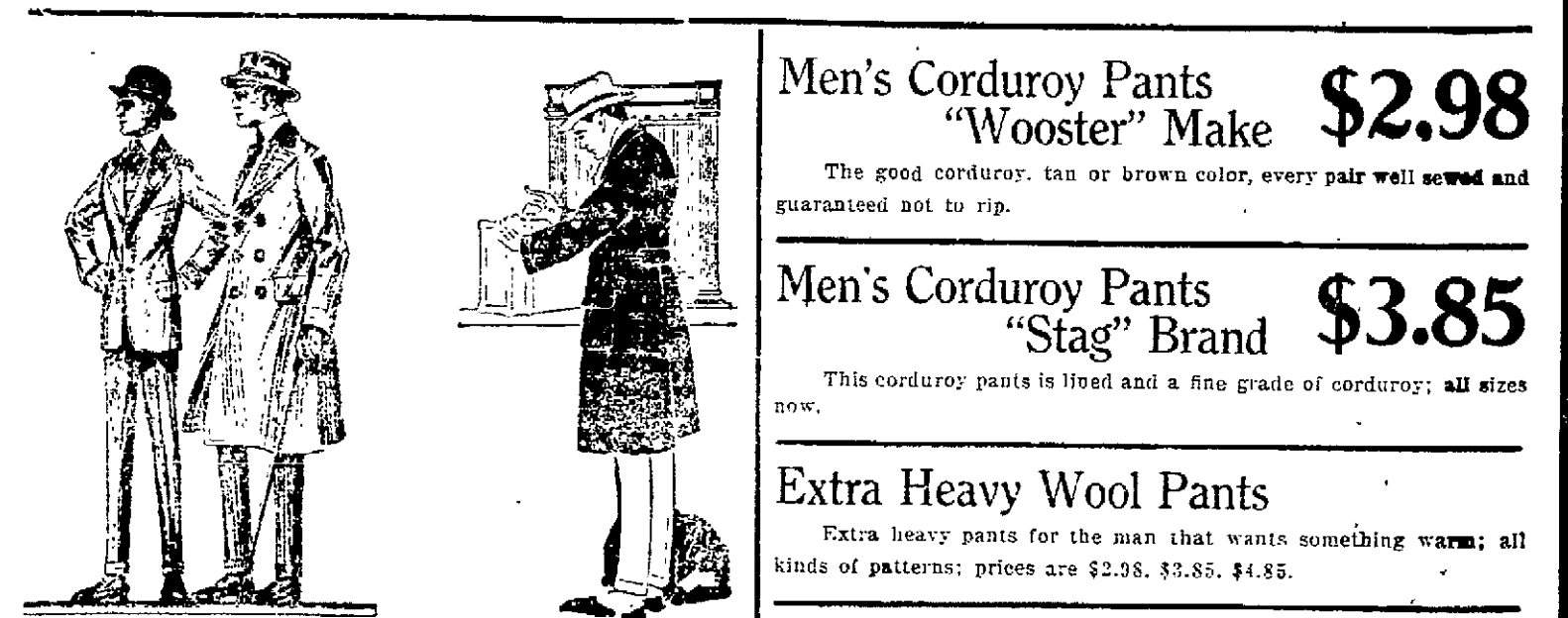
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DAY'S DOINGS  
IN CONGRESS

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Washington, Jan. 23.—House met at 11 o'clock and resumed debate on rivers and harbors bill.

Senate met at 11 o'clock.

House committee on interstate and foreign commerce heard railroad employees in opposition to new Adamson eight hour law.

Senate resumed debate on legislative appropriation bill.

Senate steering committee met to frame legislative program.

Senate naval affairs committee took up old land leasing bill.

All legislation except railroad measures, the Webb Export bill, and the corrupt practices act were sidetracked from the legislative right of way by the senate steering committee this afternoon.

St. John's Church Notes.

All the women of St. John's Church are requested to meet at the home of Mrs. Williams Carter on Manor avenue on Wednesday at 3 p. m. At this meeting arrangements will be made for the coming church dinner.

On St. Paul's Day, Holy Communion at St. John's Church at 10 o'clock in the morning on Thursday.

The congregation and members of St. John's Church are invited to attend the anniversary service at Holy Cross Church on Thursday evening of this week at 7:30 o'clock.

Centrals Are Photographed.

The picture of the Central Basketball Club in the window of Henry Thomas's barber shop on Broadway is of interest to basketball fans. The picture was placed by Coach Denny Moxham, who is confident that the Centrals will defeat the fast Pioneer team at Wednesday night's championship game.

The Centrals last week defeated Ellenville and Rosendale, two of Ulster's fastest teams, and also defeated the Cicentats at the Y. M. C. A. Saturday night.

Mr. Ellings Resumes Practice.

Former Deputy County Treasurer Maurice W. Ellings has opened law offices in the Cordis building at No. 276 Fair street, opposite the Kingston Opera House. Before becoming deputy county treasurer several years ago, Mr. Ellings devoted himself exclusively to the practice of law, having been an active practitioner in this city for a number of years.

Chicago Grain Market.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—Wheat closed 1/2 to 2 1/2 c lower; corn unchanged; oats 1/2 to 1/4 c lower.

Closing Prices.

Wheat—May 154 1/2 to 1/4; July 152 1/2; Sept. 135 1/2.

Corn—May 101 1/2; July 99 1/2.

Oats—May 58 1/2 to 58; July 55 1/2.

To Tax All Amusements.

Albany, Jan. 23.—Assemblyman Coffey of Westchester will on Thursday introduce a bill to tax generally all sorts of amusements, indoor and field, one cent on every dollar of receipts. It is estimated that at least \$10,000,000 will be added to the state treasury if the bill becomes a law.

Ohio River at Flood.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Levinston, Ky., Jan. 23.—Twenty towns along the Ohio, Kentucky, Big Sandy and other rivers in Kentucky are under water today. The streams are continuing to rise. There have been many narrow escapes from drowning and rescue parties in boats have done effective work.

Fire Ties Up Signals.

A block signal tower on the New York Central Railroad near Garrison burned to the ground Monday afternoon. Traffic was held up for an hour as the automatic signal system was helpless.

When Scotland Had a Navy.

It was James IV. who first created an effective navy for Scotland, expending all available timber for shipbuilding, so that he had to ask France and Denmark for more, and of the sixteen large and ten small ships he owned his special pride was the largest then existing. To build this dreadnaught of her day all the woods of Fife were laid waste. She cost £30,000, an enormous value in those times; had a crew of 300 sailors, 120 gunners and 1,000 marines, with "more great ordnance in her than the French king ever had to the siege of any town," as James himself boasted.—Westminster Gazette.

Celebrating The Last Phase.

Professor Blackie in his autobiographical sketch entitled "Notes of a Life" tells of a visit he paid to Celestine, then living at Highgate, of whom he remembers only two things: "(1) that he was an old, infirm, demented man; (2) that he told me he had thrown overboard all speculative philosophy, finding perfect satisfaction in the first chapter of the gospel of John."

His Luck.

She (bitterly)—I only wish I'd known as much about you before I married you.

He—Well, it was just my confounded luck that you didn't.—Boston Transcript.

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COMES AND ENDS.

The Princess Club, which has been holding dances on Thursday nights, has changed them to Tuesday nights.

Myron B. Wall, who has been spending the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Wall of Spring street, has returned to New York city.

The Knights of Columbus will hold an important meeting at the lodge rooms on Broadway this evening. All members are urged to attend.

Mrs. Taber Knox of Warwick, N. Y., will be the speaker at the missionary meeting Friday afternoon in the chapel of the First Dutch Church.

The annual supper of Holy Cross Church parish will be held in the parish house on February 8. Mrs. Edward Coykendall is president of the committee and the ladies are working hard to make the affair a success.

There will be a social for benefit of Pearl Gatherers' Sunday school class of Clinton Avenue M. E. Church Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 24 to sew and talk quilts at the home of Mrs. E. M. Eckert, 94 Downs street. All are invited.

The members and friends of the Reformed Church of the Comforter are invited to attend the services this evening at the tabernacle. Everyone who would like to do so is requested to meet at the home of Mrs. Charles DeForest, 334 Broadway, at 7:15 sharp.

"An Oldtime Business Meeting of the Ladies of Mohawk Cross Roads" will be given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church, in the church auditorium, tonight, Mr. Richards, Kingston's theatrical manager, is directing the play and all who are familiar with his success along these lines will be amply repaid by their attendance. Doors open at 7:15; play begins at 8 o'clock.

ABOUT THE FOLKS.

Mrs. Hyland is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Coughlin, on Washington avenue.

Mrs. Williams Carter, who has been spending several weeks out of town, has returned to her home on Manor avenue.

Mrs. Jacobson, of Providence, R. I., who has been visiting Mrs. Frank Forman on Main street, has returned to her home.

The regular monthly meeting of St. Peter's Sick and Aid Society will be held this evening at the school hall at 8 o'clock.

There will be a very important meeting of the Idle Hour Debating Club Thursday evening, January 25. A state official will be present to install the newly elected officers.

White Deer Skins as Cash.

In China, the first country in the world credited with using banknotes, certain skins were so valuable that they were accepted as cash and passed from hand to hand in the same way as banknotes are at the present day. The negotiability of these skins arose thus:

The Emperor on Ti, being in want of money, gave his treasurer to understand that such a state of affairs must not continue. At that time it was customary for princes and courtiers on entering the royal presence to cover their faces with a piece of skin. Taking advantage of this custom, the treasurer ordered a decree to be issued forbidding the use of any other skins for this purpose except those of a certain white deer in the royal parks. Immediately there was a demand for pieces of these skins, which, being a monopoly, were sold at a high price and the royal coffers refilled. The steady value of the skins thus secured made them readily pass and acceptable as an equivalent of coin of the realm.

Storm Stories.

History repeats itself even in storms at sea. The Norwegian steamer Sjoga was broken from her moorings at Blyth and pitched like a cork over half a mile of dangerous rocks until she bumped against the pier. But this is nothing to the adventure of the Ebensee, a craft of ninety-five tons, which was once driven by a gale toward Chesil beach, near Portland. An enormous wave seized hold of the ship and carried it to the very top of the bank, where it was left high and dry. The sailors stepped over the side and walked into Portland, "where they were greeted by some as liars, by others as men who had come out of the jaws of death," as the record puts it. But the Ebensee was found exactly as they had said it would be, and two days later she was launched and brought round to Weymouth bay.—Westminster Gazette.

Church Theaters.

Few people know that plays in England, Germany, Italy and France were fostered for religious purposes by the church centuries before they were taken up as a separate secular business. Moreover, few visitors to St. Paul's cathedral, in London, realize that that church during Elizabeth's reign and the first years of the reign of James I. set aside one of its adjacent buildings for use as a secular theater. Its little stage was famous, and the company of their boys as actors presented many of the great plays of Shakespeare's time. They acted from about 1580 to 1608 under the management of Edward Pierce, their great master in music, who as church almoner had been in control of those adjacent buildings owned by the church.—London Standard.

Daily Thought.

Not he who is wise in speech, but he who is wise in deeds is wise for me.—St. Gregory.

Two-End Repression.

Minstrel (speaking of one who has just passed)—He certainly has a squelched appearance.

Silbent—No wonder. He "wif" won't let him express his mind at home, and his boss won't let him express it at the office.

Minstrel—What's his business?

Silbent—He's a newspaper editor.—Life.

LEAK PROBERS  
IN NEW YORK

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, Jan. 23.—The searchlight of publicity was thrown on the inside workings of the New York Stock Exchange today as the house rules committee began following the pipe line through which, it is alleged, advance news of President Wilson's December peace note leaked to Wall Street.

H. G. Noble, president of the New York Stock Exchange, was the first witness, and after the first preliminary, the committee's counsel, promptly engaged in a battle of wits.

Later there was a development of strength, many of the issues making material improvement. Bethlehem Steel held steady after reacting to 440. Marine issues showed pronounced strength, the coming moving up to above 34 and the preferred to 104. Steel Common rallied to 113 1/2. Pressed Steel Car advanced to 8 1/2. California Petroleum to 29. Mexican Petroleum to 103 1/2. Utah Copper to 106 1/2 and American Smelting to 107 1/2. Money loaning at 1 1/2.

The tone was irregular in the afternoon with Brooklyn Rapid Transit offered down to 76 1/2, the lowest price at which it has sold since 1911. Other issues were generally well held, with price movements narrow.

The market closed irregular. B. R. T. after falling to 76 1/2, rose to above 77. The Marine issues were weak, the common dropping to 32 1/2. Bethlehem Steel dropped five points to 43 1/2. New Haven sold at a loss of 2 points toward the close. Government bonds unchanged; railway and other bonds irregular.

Quotations furnished by John D. Kline Warren Building Fair street, Kingston, N. Y. Tel. 1423. Correspondent of C. H. Van Buren & Company, members of Consolidated Stock Exchange of New York.

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS

Allis-Chalmers 27 1/2  
American Best Sugar 94  
American Car & Foundry 67 1/2  
American Can 103 1/2  
American Cotton Oil 40 1/2  
American Ice Securities 40 1/2  
American Locomotive 40 1/2  
American Smelting & Ref. Co. 107 1/2  
American Sugar 27 1/2  
American Telephone & Telegraph 126 1/2  
Anaconda Copper Mining 84 1/2  
Atchafalpa, Topeka & Santa Fe 105 1/2  
Baldwin Loco 34 1/2  
Baltimore & Ohio 81 1/2  
Bethlehem Steel Co. 43 1/2  
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 76 1/2  
Canadian Pacific 106 1/2  
Central Leather 88 1/2  
Consolidated Gas 103 1/2  
Chicago, Mil & St. Paul 80 1/2  
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific 32 1/2  
Colorado Fuel & Iron 46 1/2  
Consolidated Gas, N. Y. 103 1/2  
Corn Products 23 1/2  
Crescent Steel 63 1/2  
Distillers' Securities 27 1/2  
Erie 47 1/2  
Erie 1st pfd 47 1/2  
General Electric 153 1/2  
Goodrich Rubber 68 1/2  
Great Northern pfd 116 1/2  
Great Northern Ore 116 1/2  
Illinois Central 151 1/2  
Interborough Con. 69 1/2  
Inter. Con. pfd 69 1/2  
Kansas City Southern 101 1/2  
Louisville & Nashville 78 1/2  
Lehigh Valley 57 1/2  
Maxwell Motor 72 1/2  
Maxwell Motor, 1st pfd 72 1/2  
Maxwell Motor, 2d pfd 102 1/2  
Missouri Pacific 68 1/2  
National Lead 63 1/2  
New York Central 101 1/2  
N. Y. N. H. & H. 44 1/2  
New York, Ontario & Western 28 1/2  
Northern Pacific 108 1/2  
Norfolk & Western 57 1/2  
Pennsylvania Railroad 46 1/2  
People's Gas, Chicago





Sun rises, 7:14; sets, 5:07.  
Weather, clear. Humidity 44 to 48.

#### The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by the Freeman thermometer last night was 11 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 31 degrees.

#### Weather Forecast.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Probably fair tonight and Wednesday; plans temperature; moderate variable winds, becoming southerly.

## PRISONERS OF HOPE TONIGHT

Services were resumed this afternoon at the Delaware Avenue Tabernacle. This evening Evangelist Peacock will preach on "Prisoners of Hope," and everyone in the city and vicinity is invited to be present.

Wednesday afternoon a Bible class in charge of Mr. Warth, the soloist and Bible teacher of the evangelist party, will be held. Everyone interested in the study of the Bible is urged to attend. The class will meet at the tabernacle every Wednesday and Friday afternoon.

Saturday evening the evangelist will speak on amusements.

Wednesday evening the services at the tabernacle will be for women only. This includes high school girls and girls working in stores, offices, factories and so forth.

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## TWO TEAMS TIED IN CITY LEAGUE

As a result of the games rolled in the City Bowling League on Monday evening the West Sides and the East Sides of the Y. M. C. A. are tied for first place in the league, each team having won four and lost one game.

While the West Sides were meeting defeat the hands of the Roundout Bowling Club the East Sides were applying the defeat brush to the St. Peter's No. 1 and by so doing are tied with the West Sides for the honor of heading the league.

At the Y. M. C. A. alleys the East Sides defeated St. Peter's No. 1 by a score of 2,376 to 2,691 pins. The summary:

East Sides.		
Wood	155	145
DeForest	132	130
Pardee	115	163
Warren	141	129
Webster	177	160
Total	2,376	2,691

St. Peter's No. 1.		
Winter	180	120
Leible	176	153
Pax	120	144
Hels	120	148
Leuffgen	153	97
Total	2,091	

At St. Peter's alleys the Roundout Bowling Club defeated the West Sides by a score of 2,182 to 2,121. The summary:

Roundout Club.		
Giles	122	117
Keresman	150	119
Weber	131	137
Sapp	139	189
Cashin	196	146
Total	2,182	2,121

West Sides.		
Payne	147	144
Deeres	99	154
Baldsen	129	159
Thompson	150	123
O'Connor	144	128
Total	2,121	

Thursday evening the Roundout Bowling Club will bowl St. Peter's No. 2 at St. Peter's alleys.

Friday night the East Sides will roll St. Peter's No. 1 at the Y. M. C. A. and the West Sides will roll St. Peter's No. 2 at the Elks Club.

The standing in the league to date follows:

West Sides	4	1	800
East Sides	4	1	800
Roundout B. Club	3	1	750
Elks	2	3	400
St. Peter's No. 1	1	4	200
St. Peter's No. 2	0	4	000

#### CHILD WELFARE EXHIBIT.

Under Patronage of Federation and Parent-Teachers' Association.

Arrangements have been completed by the Federation of Women's Clubs and the Parent-Teachers' Associations of the various schools to present to this city the exhibit of the National Child Labor Committee, and also Miss Hilda G. Wilkie of New York, field secretary of the committee, who will be in charge of the exhibit and membership campaign which will be carried on in the vacant store on the corner adjoining the court house on the afternoons and evenings of next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, January 29, 30 and 31. Miss Wilkie, who is very favorably known to some of the representative women of Kingston, is one of the five young college women who feels her responsibility to human kind. She is a Vassar graduate of the class of 1912 and has since her graduation been connected with the National Child Welfare Committee, both in the field and at headquarters. In addition to the past exhibits, Miss Wilkie will personally tell of the work and aspirations of the committee, and she is said to be a most interesting speaker. On Monday the women of the Federation will be the hostesses, introducing Miss Wilkie; on Tuesday the hostesses will be members of the Parent-Teachers' Association, with the Kikult Club girls helping in the evening's entertainment of the visitors. The Federation will be the hostesses again on Wednesday.

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#### HIGH FALLS.

High Falls, Jan. 23.—Mrs. Nich visited town on Tuesday. Miss Alta Broadhead has been ill with the grip.

Miss Viola Van Wageningen is visiting relatives in Whiteport.

Mrs. Martha Sheeley is visiting relatives in the city.

Mrs. Mary Krom of Allgerville is a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Benson Elmendorf.

Miss Cynthia Van Wageningen called on Mrs. Jacob Delamater on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Anthony Duym is improving at this writing.

The regents' preliminary examinations are being held in the High Falls public school on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

The program is as follows: Monday morning, spelling; Tuesday morning, arithmetic; Tuesday afternoon, elementary English; Wednesday afternoon, elementary United States History and civics.

Mrs. Martha Sheeley called at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. James Freer and Miss Mary C. Van Wageningen on Wednesday afternoon.

There was a stereopticon lecture in the Reformed Church on Sunday evening, January 21. The subject was Cuba and Porto Rico. There were quite a number present.

Chris. Countryman cut his knee very badly one day last week. He was cutting wood at Spring Farm.

Miss Juanita Van Wageningen has graduated from Moran's Business School and taken a position as stenographer in the L. B. Van Wageningen store.

The young people are rehearsing for the play entitled "Mrs. Briggs of the Poultry Yard." They met to practice on Friday night at the home of Miss Ruth Barnhart. The cast of characters in the play is as follows:

Mrs. Briggs, a woman of business, Miss Fay Reynolds; Ralph, Jimmy; Alvin, Melissa, her family; Harold, Reynolds; Jesse Barnhart, Mrs. Sylvia Reynolds; Silas Green, a neighbor; John B. Snyder, a wealthy neighbor; John B. Snyder, Virginia Lee, his daughter; Miss Theda Gillespie; Daisy Thornton, her friend; Miss Ruth Barnhart; Mrs. O'Connor, with no liking for girls; Miss Alta Broadhead; Mandy Bates, whose tongue will stumble; Miss Elizabeth Freer. Mrs. Briggs of the Poultry is a comedy in three acts. Act I.—Living room in Mr. Briggs's cottage; Mrs. Briggs is washing. Act II.—Same scene; Mrs. Briggs is ironing; Act III.—Mrs. Briggs's poultry yard; chickens bought and sold and made to order. This play promises to afford much fun and merriment.

Mrs. Walter Devlin and daughter, Edna Marie and Dorothy Elizabeth, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Richard Parlin, of Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Festus Yeaple and Mrs. Floyd Schoonmaker and her mother, Mrs. Decker of Granite, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Church on Thursday evening.

The Ladies' Missionary Society met on Thursday afternoon. There were nine present. The meeting opened with the singing of "Am I a Soldier of the Cross." The president then led in opening prayer.

Miss Elizabeth Krom then read a Personal Letter of James Cantine, written to Dr. Miller. After this was a reading, The Doctor's Greatest Opportunity, written by Paul W. Harrison. M. D. Mrs. Thomas Snyder also read an interesting article. After the singing of Over the Ocean Wave, everyone responded to the roll call by repeating a Bible verse. The meeting closed with the singing of Best be the Tie that Binds, followed by the repeating of the Lord's Prayer in concert.

Mrs. Richard Purvis of Kingston visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Freer, on Thursday of last week.

There is ice skating in this place and many of the young people are enjoying it.

A new book club has been recently started.

Philip Countryman has gone to New York to work.

The Ladies Aid will meet the coming Thursday afternoon, January 25, at half past two, at the home of Miss Belle Van Wageningen.

Miss Isabelle Krom has been ill with the grip.

Miss Edna Freer is visiting her sister in Kingston.

William Fitzpatrick was in town on Saturday.

Miss Kate Clearwater has been helping with the house work at Mrs. Anthony Duym's.

Joseph Morgan of Kingston, one of the teachers in Moran's Business School, was in this place on Saturday.

Miss Imlay visited town on Saturday.

The Misses Helen, Dorothy and Beatrice Dargenmond are home this week as there is no regular school at Kingston High School. It being the work of the regents' examinations.

Miss Edna Davenport of Accord visited relatives in this place the past week.

There was no dance the past two Saturday evenings at St. John's Hall on account of the ill health of Mrs. Agnew.

Miss Juanita Van Wageningen of Kingston was home the past Sunday.

The Willing Workers meet on Saturday, February 3, at the parsonage.

## HORSE-OWNERS TO QUIT; CUT MELON

Ulster County Protective Association. Votes to Disband and Distribute. \$25.19 to Each Member in Good Standing—Asphyxiated by Gasoline.

Following the custom inaugurated last fall by many institutions in cutting melons and declaring bonuses, the Ulster County Horse Owners' Protective Association on Saturday afternoon voted to distribute the sum of \$781 among the thirty-one members who by reason of paid-up dues were in good and regular standing at the time of the annual meeting which was to have been held at the court house on Saturday, January 13.

The only difference between the Horse Owners' Association and the other big concerns is that the Horse Owners' Association voted to dissolve and disband, so that only the memory of its good works and the pleasant spirit of the division of the treasury—funds among the active members who are in good and regular standing remains among those who by their neglect to pay their last annual dues before January 13th forfeited all right to participate in the melon and bonus.

Not very many horse owners attended the meeting held at the court house on January 13. The association was organized a number of years ago when horse thieves were more plentiful throughout the county than they are now, and means of communication less easy. The members paid dues—paid them so regularly that there is \$781 to be divided among the thirty-one members who are in good and regular standing. The sheriff usually was ex-officio an officer of the association. The association used to do good work in recovering the horses that were stolen or otherwise disappeared.

The disappearance of horse thieves from this section of the state in the past few years has left little work for the association to do; the horses or members were either supplied by automobiles or disappeared by reason of a natural death or sale, and still the funds continued to accumulate, until they amounted to \$781.

The reason for the small attendance at the annual meeting was the bad weather, the fact that some members had become automobile owners instead of remaining horse owners, the fact that some members had not paid their dues and that other forgot the meeting was to be held at that time. There may also have been other causes.

Some of the more vigilant members, who by reason of paid-up dues were in good and regular standing, proposed that the association should dissolve and disband and adopted a resolution that no more dues should be received until the time that question was determined by vote of the members themselves (a member entitled to vote being only such as had paid their dues), and the meeting adjourned until last Saturday.

When the meeting was held last Saturday afternoon, twenty members in good and regular standing, and the only ones entitled to vote, were present. During the week intervening since the date of the annual meeting several members had professed their annual dues, but the dues were not receivable under the resolution adopted on January 13. Consequently, only twenty members voted on the proposition to disband and dissolve. Of these twenty, five alone voted against disbanding. The five who voted against were: Assemblyman Joel Brink, the retiring president; former Sheriff Henry J. Hoffman, Augustus Elmendorf, John P. Woolsey and Garrett N. Oliver. The other fifteen voted to dissolve and disband and for a division of the treasury funds amounting to \$781, among the thirty-one members on the active roll. On this basis each of the thirty-one members in good and regular standing will receive a check for \$25.19, which should leave a balance of eleven cents in the treasury. The officers may have trouble in deciding on the eleven members who shall receive one cent each additional in order to take up this balance or they may decide to give that amount to charity, although they were not authorized to do so by the members who are in good and regular standing.

The increased cost of living, in the face of a hard winter, will make the dividend or bonus, or whatever it may be called, declared by the fifteen members who voted for it, very welcome.

A New Association Formed.

During the farewell meeting of the old association, the privileges of the floor were extended to County Judge James Jenkins, who spoke of a movement in which many horsemen are interested, to devise ways and means for construction of state and county highways upon which horses.

After the old association had been dissolved, an enthusiastic meeting of thirty-five horsemen was held which elected Judge Jenkins chairman and Christopher N. DeWitt of Hurley, secretary.

A committee of five, consisting of the chairman, secretary, John P. Woolsey, Garrett N. Oliver and Edward McSpillit were appointed to draft a memorial to file with the legislature, protesting against the construction of macadam and concrete highways in such manner as to make it unsafe to drive horses thereon.

Several suggestions were made as to the construction of tracks on each side of the center of the macadam, constructed of such material and in such manner as to make it safe for horses to travel thereon. Such a plan exists in various states. One of the members present, stating that he had driven over roads in Massachusetts where the center was used, his first ice crop, which for automobiles and the sides for man and horse. The sides were kept in such repair that if necessary, the auto-

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Mingus—What's his business?

Silbest—He's a newspaper editor.—Life.

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#### Wrong Tactics.

"I hear Mrs. Twobuckle is thinking of adopting a political career."

"Something of the sort seems to be in her mind," replied Mr. Twobuckle. "Are you strengthening her in that determination?"

"I did for awhile."

"In what way?"

"By trying to stop her."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

A Greek sponge fishermen's dive to a depth of 262 feet in the sea is believed to be the world's record for a man unprotected by any sort of diving apparatus.